Today's Weather
Rain

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THE WEATHER

Rain.

Rain today, clearing and colder tomorrow, is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 46 and the minimum 37 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:43 a. m. and set cloudy at 5:16 p. m. yesterday. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.02	40	88	N.E.	Rain
8 p. m.	29.69	41	96	S.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 14:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	46	24	Mean	42	19
Minimum	37	14	Precipitation	.15	.01
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	30		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.10	
Exc. for day	12		Exc. for day	.04	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1	46		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	.22	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Rain Monday; Tuesday clearing and colder; brisk south, shifting to west, winds.

West Virginia—Rain Monday and Tuesday.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Pueblo	48	Cloudy	Cheyenne	30	Cloudy
Santa Fe	26	Cloudy	Lander	22	Cloudy
Norfolk	40	Cloudy	Denver	40	Cloudy
Palestine	64	Cloudy	Ed. Junction	32	Cloudy
Omaha	36	Rain	Salt Lake	36	Cloudy
Amarillo	48	PtCldy	North Platte	36	PtCldy
Abilene	66	PtCldy	Valentine	30	Cloudy
El Paso	56	PtCldy	Rapid City	32	Cloudy
Oklahoma	58	PtCldy	Dodge City	54	Clear
Wichita	50	Clear	Kansas City	46	Clear
Cairo	48	PtCldy	Springf'd, Mo.	46	Clear
Vicksburg	64	Cloudy	Springf'd, Ill.	42	Cloudy
Nashville	50	Cloudy	Chattanooga	52	Cloudy
Louisville	46	Cloudy	Shreveport	62	Clear
Omaha	36	Rain	Washington	38	Rain
Memphis	52	Cloudy	Indianapolis	38	Cloudy
Buffalo	38	Cloudy	Parkersburg	42	Cloudy
Cleveland	40	Rain	Little Rock	54	Cloudy
Baltimore	34	Rain	Fort Smith	56	Clear
Atlanta	48	Cloudy	Philadelphia	36	Rain
Madison	32	Cloudy	New York	34	Cloudy
St. Paul	30	Cloudy	New Orleans	56	Clear
Huron	20	Cloudy	Montgomery	56	Clear
Bismarck	24	Snow	Marquette	26	Snow
Helena	28	PtCldy	Jacksonville	64	Clear
Havre	12	Clear	Yellowstone	18	Cloudy
Los Angeles	60	Rain			

Will Contest Nomination of Jenkinson on Ground of Loose Practices.

ISSUES A STATEMENT

Says Leslie, Ostermaier and McClure Are Biased and Ought Not to Sit on Board.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD'S CASE

On the basis of the unofficial returns of the Republican primaries, received at Republican headquartres, A. M. Jenkinson has a majority of 3,500 to 4,000 votes. The real result cannot be known until the official returns have been opened and the Republican vote cast at the presidential election apportioned between the two candidates. Jenkinson's majority is on the Roosevelt vote, but based on unofficial returns.

William A. Magee last night issued a statement announcing that he would contest the primary election. He says that on the face of unofficial returns the result is in doubt, but that in preference to waiting for more correct returns he will consult counsel today with a view to beginning a contest.

Mr. Magee objects to City Chairman M. G. Leslie, Secretary Ostermaier and Treasurer Thomas G. McClure sitting as members of the board, which will hear the contest. They, he says, directed the battle against him, and he thinks "their interest and bias morally disqualifies them" from sitting in judgment. Mr. Magee will, therefore, propose to Chairman Leslie today that he call the city committee together for the purpose of providing a new tribunal to hear the evidence and decide the contest.

Wants His Ward Investigated.

The fairness of the election in Mr. Magee's own ward, the Twenty-third, has been challenged. Mr. Magee having polled a vote six times greater than that of his opponent, the whole vote being about 900 more than the Republican vote for Roosevelt. In his statement Mr. Magee asks that the methods used by both sides in the Twenty-third ward be investigated.

The regular tribunal to hear contest proceedings is composed of the chairman, secretary and treasurer of the city committee, and two men, one selected by each candidate. In discussing the possible effect of a contest, Mr. Magee said he realized that the last day for filing certificates of nomination is on January 23, and that the contest probably could not be decided before that time, but the city committee is by rule entitled to fill vacancies, and if could, he said, adopt a resolution to put on the ticket for mayor the candidate found by the contest committee to have secured the majority of the votes. Mr. Magee's statement follows:

Mr. Magee's Statement.

Upon the conclusion of the campaign for the Republican nomination for mayor, I feel it is due to my many friends to express my appreciation of their efforts in my behalf. The support of the 15,000 persons who voted for me, while very gratifying to me, I recognize was not so much an expression of personal preference as adherence to the principles which animated my candidacy and upon which my canvass was conducted.

Having secured a revision of the rules which permitted open primaries and the selection of Republican candidates by the direct voice of the people, I entered into the contest for the purpose of giving practical application to the new nominating system. At the outset I believed the primary to be "open." Most people believed the contrary. The greatest obstacle met with in my canvass was the almost universally expressed opinion that I would be cheated. I asked the people in good faith to come into the primary and promised to expose any illegal practices that might come to light. On the strength of this promise, the doubts of thousands of honest Republicans, who have been avoiding the primaries for years, were overcome. That promise, then made, I intend to keep now in the interest of the future welfare of the party. The proper method to bring the facts before the public is by evidence given, under the sanctity of an oath, before a proper tribunal.

Contest Still in Doubt.

On the face of the returns, as given unofficially, the contest at present is in doubt. Without waiting for any more correct returns, I intend to consult counsel tomorrow with a view to beginning a contest. The battle against me was directed by the three executive officers of the city committee. I think they will agree with me that their interest and bias morally disqualifies them from sitting in judgment upon their own acts and the acts of their agents. A proposal will be made to the chairman of the city committee that he call the committee together for the purpose of providing a new tribunal to hear the evidence and decide the contest, and provide for the nomination of the successful contestant by the city committee.

In addition to specific instances of fraud, violence, repeating, ballot-box stuffing, bribery and intimidation practiced yesterday, the welfare of the party requires a full disclosure of all the known facts in relation to the combination of financial and political interests formed to take control of the government of Pittsburgh; the undue use of money, and the corporate coercion of employes in the contest just closed; the intimidation practiced upon Republican employes of the county and the promise of positions in city and county services and of election to offices, now existing or hereafter to be created, made in the name of and on behalf of the Republican organization, as rewards for services to be rendered at the primaries, the slating of candidates and the use of the party machinery by the party officers and others in behalf of the slated candidates.

Disclosure of the Facts.

A full disclosure of the facts upon these subjects, while full of danger to the party, to the minds of those accustomed to practice such methods, would appeal to all disinterested and real lovers of their party.

I am largely influenced in my idea of contesting the election by the insinuations of the chairman of the city committee, expressed in this morning's papers, that the magnificent vote of confidence given me by my neighbors in the Twenty-third ward was not a genuine expression of the Republicans of that ward. I particularly desire that the methods used by both sides in that ward should be given full publicity. I also suggest to my opponents that they contest any other wards or districts in which I received a majority of the voters on the face of the returns.

I request all persons who are able to furnish information of any illegality in the conduct of the primaries yesterday to re-

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WILL PRESIDE OVER HOUSE AT THE SPECIAL SESSION

Speaker Henry F. Walton.

TWO INJURED WHEN CAR DASHES DOWN GRADE

Slippery Rails Cause Serious Runaway on Steep Brighton Road Hill in Allegheny.

Slippery rails caused Brighton road car No. 136 to run away last night on the steep grade in Brighton road, just west of Woods Run avenue. Two motormen were injured and the car ran almost half a mile before it was brought to a stop. The injured men are:

DENNIS O'NEAL, motorman, aged 25, of 2612 Leland avenue, Allegheny; skull probably fractured; taken to St. John's General hospital.

D. G. LADD, motorman, aged 23, of Brighton road; face and head cut; taken home.

The car left the end of the Brighton road line at the high bridge and started for Pittsburgh. O'Neal was at the brakes and Ladd stood in the cab with him. There were no passengers. The car approached the big hill near the intersection of Winthrop street at lively speed. Near Winthrop street the tracks curve and it was here that O'Neal discovered the rail brake was ineffective. Before the hand brake could be applied sufficiently to reduce speed the curve was struck and the violent jerk of the car threw both men off the front cab.

O'Neal was rendered unconscious, but Ladd was not so seriously hurt, and with aid carried the other man to a drug store at Brighton road and Woods Run avenue. From there he was taken to the hospital.

Conductor Oscar Neil stayed on the car and managed to stop it near Woods Run avenue by applying the hand brake on the rear platform.

PRISONER IS MORTALLY WOUNDED IN LOCKUP

Jacob Naylor is Shot Twice by Chief of Police James Caldwell at Youngwood.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

GREENSBURG, PA., Jan. 14.—Jacob Naylor, a Pennsylvania railroad freight brakeman, is dying at the Westmoreland hospital from bullet wounds inflicted by Chief of Police James Caldwell of Youngwood last night. Conflicting stories are told.

Friends of Naylor claim that after Caldwell had put him in a cell in the Youngwood lockup he stood in the corridor and fired three shots through the bars. Caldwell alleged in the county jail this afternoon that he had been overpowered upon taking Naylor to the lockup. He claimed Naylor had secured his mace and had knocked him down. He alleged he shot in self-defense.

Caldwell was arrested at the lockup by Constable Thomas O'Brien. Naylor was brought to the local hospital. He has two ugly wounds in the groin. His intestines were punctured by one of the revolver shots. Naylor is 35 years of age and has a family. It is alleged both Naylor and Caldwell were intoxicated.

WOUNDED BY BOMBS.

Governor of Russian Province and His Wife Suffer While Riding Home from Cathedral.

CHERNIGOFF, RUSSIA, Jan. 14.—Two bombs were hurled today at Gen. Khovostoff, governor of this province, as he was driving home from the cathedral.

The governor was seriously and his wife slightly injured.

LAWMAKERS ARE ARRIVING FOR THE SPECIAL SESSION

State General Assembly Will Convene at Two O'Clock Today.

Special Telegram From
WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 14.—Efforts will be made to adjourn the extraordinary session of the Pennsylvania legislature, which convenes tomorrow, about February 17. It may be possible for the lawmakers to finish their work a week earlier. Of the nine subjects referred to the special session for action, it is the general opinion the governor will be heartily supported in all of his reforms. The one uncertain piece of legislation is the senatorial apportionment. A bill may be put through.

The legislature will convene tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. It is the intention of Speaker Walton to work the house six days a week. Probably after the first week there will be three sessions a day. The failure of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to furnish passes will cause the lawmakers to hustle to escape the clutches of the Harrisburg hotels. All over the state today train conductors were kept busy explaining to legislators how to fill out the blank which goes with the mileage books. The usual greeting tonight is:

"How have you been? Did you get your annual pass?"

So far the man with a piece of free transportation in his clothes has not been found. There is a growing sentiment in favor of the establishment of a straight 2-cent fare and the abolition of the $10 deposit feature of the mileage book.

Expect to Adjourn in Five Weeks.

Both Speaker Walton and Senator Woods of Greensburg, president pro tempore of the senate, think the legislators can finish their work in at least five weeks. The speaker is making liberal allowance for oratory in the house. There are now 20 Democratic members, and they will endeavor to cause as much trouble as possible. It is probable they will try to secure an investigation of the state treasury. Homer L. Castle of Pittsburgh is here tonight to consult with "Farmer" Creasy on the brand of trouble. In the senate there is not likely to be so much oratory, as most of the work is done there in committee. President Woods is a hustler and will expect the senate to rush its work.

Spkeaer Walton says it will be for the house to decide whether it wants new committees. He is of the opinion there will be about nine appointed. If this plan is adopted one-ninth of the total membership of 204 will be on each committee. The committees would be appropriations, senatorial apportionment,

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UNBIDDEN GUEST PAYS LIFE AS TOLL FOR HIS INTRUSION

Vicious Fight in a Dark Alley Follows an Attempt to Break Into Christening Festivities and Bernado Carello Is Murdered.

Because Bernado Carello tried to enter as an unbidden guest at a christening at the home of Joseph Trenga, 6316 Station street, East End, last night, his body is now in the morgue and Trenga is locked up in the Frankstown Avenue police station, accused of his murder. Two vicious knife thrusts in the back, given in true Italian style, caused Carello's demise, and as a nine-inch dagger was found on Trenga, the police are inclined to place the crime on him.

The quarrel, which started at Trenga's house upon his second refusal to admit Carello to the chirstening festivities, was finished in a dark alley just off 6249 Station street. After receiving the wounds, Carello either ran or was dragged into the barber shop of Dan Ryan at that number. When the police arrived there shortly after 9 o'clock Carello was lying unconscious on the floor in a pool of blood and no one was about. The back door of the barber shop stood open. Carello was hurried at once to the Pittsburgh hospital, but he was so weak from loss of blood that his death resulted within half an hour. The knifeblade had penetrated his liver and his right lung.

The police went later to Trenga's house at 6316 Station street, where Trenga and a dozen guests were arrested. When Lieut. McPoland, Inspector Bailey and Policeman Walsh arrived at the house they found Trenga in his undershirt, with his overcoat on. The absence of his outer shirt looked suspicious, and the officers, upon searching, found what is claimed to be his shirt under the stove. It was covered with mud and blood.

Trenga had a nine-inch pearl-handled dagger in his belt. Neither he nor any of the others from the house, however, made any resistance, but accompanied the officers quietly. The other men arrested, who will be held as witnesses at the coroner's inquest, gave their names as Dave Perrolla and Paul Girsol of 6249 Station street, Dan Piola of Ambridge, George Cacel, Thomas Smith and John Holme of Station street, Louis Rossa and Guy Frencke of Belmar place, Frank Rocco of Ambridge and Tony and Frank Bisco of Larimer avenue.

According to the story told by Trenga to the police, Carello and a friend went early in the evening to the house and demanded permission to enter into the christening festivities. The men left upon being ordered out. About that time two of the guests, Nicholas Gontoni and Frank Grecco, became involved in a quarrel and were arrested. Trenga, clad in his

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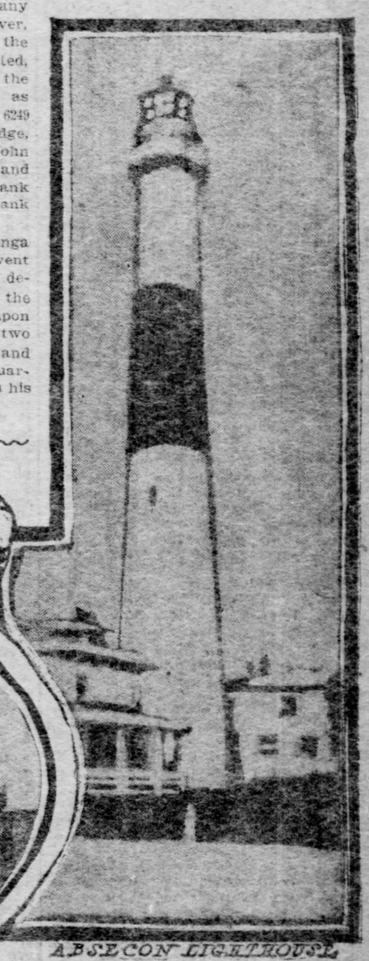
IN PERILOUS SEA FISHING CREW MAKES FINE RESCUE

Passengers from Wrecked Steamer Cherokee Are Saved in Storm.



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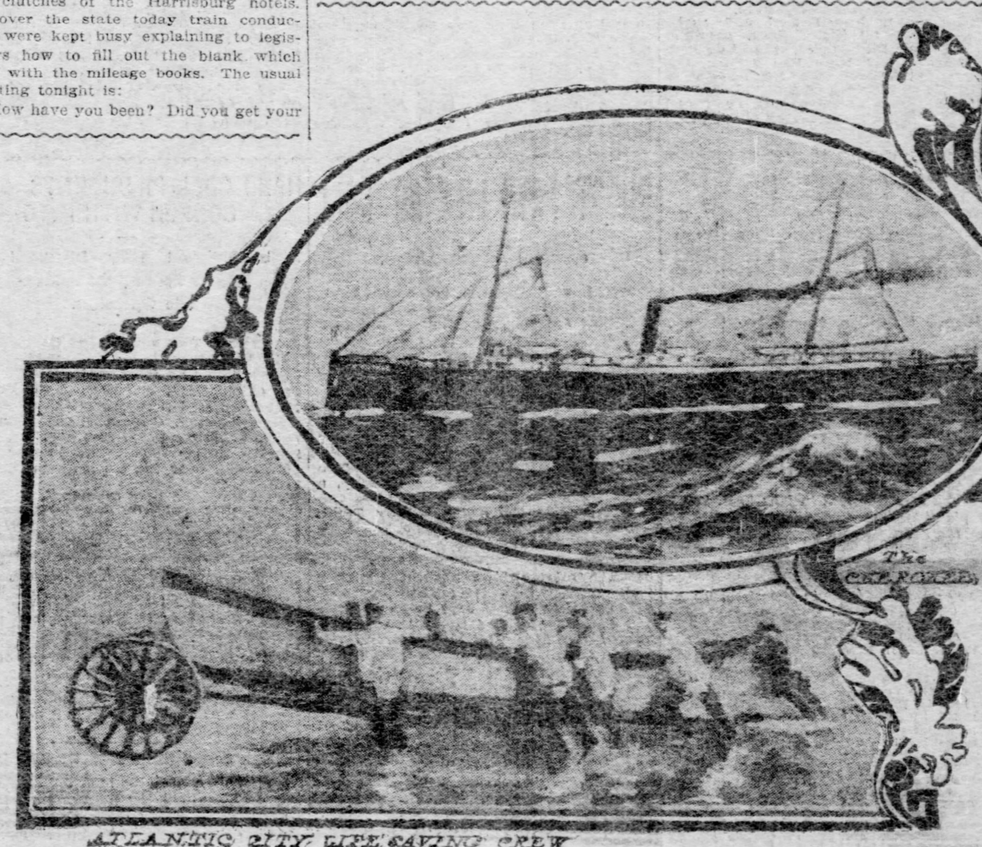


ATLANTIC CITY LIFE SAVING CREW

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

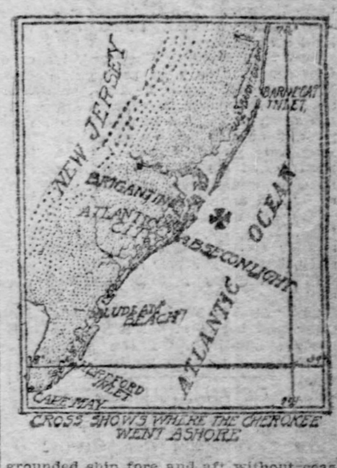
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 14.—With daring and perfect seamanship that took no heed of the gale or mountain-like waves, while 10,000 persons looked on for hours, scarcely daring to breathe, the passengers and all of the crew of the stranded steamship Cherokee, except the captain, two officers and the carpenter, were rescued this afternoon by Capt. Mark Casto and his crew in the fishing schooner Alberta.

Trip by trip, four at a time, by a little boat that seemed from shore no larger than a man's hand, 56 men, two women and two children were transferred from the liner to the smack. The distance between the boats, sometimes 50 feet, sometimes a cable's length, was filled with boiling water, but over that perilous way 15 times the cockleshell was hauled, and all who would go were taken. With them went only hand luggage and the United States mail.

Old men along shore tonight say it will be impossible to get the big liner off the beach.

In Light of Thousands.

The narrative of wreck and the rescue of today is one in which the viewpoint of 10,000 persons on the board walk and the simple story of the seven men who risked their lives may be taken. For the first it means a staring of 20,000 eyes out where the waves are sweeping the



CROSS SHOWS WHERE THE CHEROKEE WENT ASHORE

grounded ship fore and aft without ceasing. It means an excitement and interest so intense that there was no thought of luncheon or dinner, no heed of the piercing wind or the driving rain of the early morning.

On the other hand it means a story told by men who daily in the winter take their lives in their hands without thinking, who dismiss it all with the simple "Oh, it was nothing so much after all."

Signals told of 11 feet of water in the hold. It was then that Capt. Mark Casto went into action. Anybody and everybody will tell you about Casto in Atlantic City, the fisherman who is afraid of no sea that ever ran hereabouts, who can sail the Alberta over a heavy dew, who in his 18 years of steady work has made a score of rescues, who will put out to sea to save a man in danger when the life savers hesitate, who, day in and day out, the year around, does go to sea and thinks nothing of it.

Sturdy Rescuing Crew.

Mark Casto is 38 years old and he is the captain of the Alberta. His crew is young, stalwart, slow speaking and willing. "Will you go out there with me?" he asked simply, and the answer was shown in the way in which they made

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FINAL BATTLE IS FOUGHT; DOMINICAN REVOLUTION ENDS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CAPE HAITIEN, HAITI, Jan. 14.—A sanguinary and what probably will prove to be the final battle has taken place near Guayubin between the troops of Gen. Caceres, the temporary president of Santo Domingo, and the insurgents. The former was victorious. Several generals on both sides were killed or wounded.

PUERTO PLATA, Jan. 14.—(Copyright Cable.)—Capt. Catrain has delivered the Dominican gunboat Independence to the United States cruiser, the Paducah, Gen. Sanchez has surrendered at Monte Cristi, with certain restrictions, to Caceres' forces. Both these steps were taken upon the advice of Morales.

SAN JUAN, PORTO RICO, Jan. 14.—While stretched on a cot in the hospital today Gen. Carlos F. Morales requested the Associated Press to convey to the American people, particularly to President Roosevelt and others of the authorities at Washington, the expression of his sincere thankfulness for the assistance accorded him.

"The future salvation of Santo Domingo," he said, "is dependent entirely on the ratification of the pending convention by the United States senate and the congress of Santo Domingo. The majority of the people know that the continuance of the revolutionary agitation means ruination. Gen. Caceres, the temporary president, now indorses the convention as do the revolutionists. The immediate future of Santo Domingo is obscure. It is very probable the disturbed conditions will continue as the Caceres government represents a minority and will be unable to guarantee the safety of life and property."

The general says he is satisfied that he has worked for the welfare of his country to the best of his ability. He is in good spirits, though his face indicates the trials he endured during his strenuous experience. His broken ankle was the result of a parting of a rope of vines by which he was trying to climb a precipice.

WILSON WALKS INTO BURGLAR ALARM AND SHOTGUN

Henry Wilson, a negro, who says he came to this county from Knoxville, Tenn. collided with a burglar alarm and load of shot when he attempted to rob the home of Ward Noble of Homestead early yesterday morning. The alarm warned Noble of the presence of the thief. As the negro crept stealthily up the stairs Noble stood waiting for him at the top.

"Who is there?" he called.

Receiving no answer, he decided to shoot first and make inquiries afterward. As the heavily-charged shotgun belched forth a stream of lead the burglar tumbled backward and rolled to the foot of the stairs. Quickly gathering himself up, he staggered through the doorway and sank to the pavement. He is now in the county jail, and Dr. Chessrown, the jail physician, says he will recover.

There have been numerous burglaries in Homestead during the past month, and the police of the big steel town say Wilson confessed to them that he had taken part in several of them. Noble's was one of the homes robbed about a month ago, and while the thieves did not get much booty at the time, it made Noble angry. "I'll be prepared for them when they come again," he remarked to his neighbors. So he put in the burglar alarm and placed a loaded shotgun at the head of his bed.

Noble was awakened from a sound sleep about 1 o'clock yesterday morning by the ringing of the burglar alarm in his room. He slipped quietly from bed, picked up his shotgun and tiptoed to the head of the stairs. In the dimly-lighted hallway he distinguished the form of a man halfway up the stairs. Noble wasted no time in parleying. He had on his mind that previous visit by thieves, when he was caught unprepared. He just blazed away at the intruder and the latter made a unique and undignified exit to the street.

John Hickey, who lives near the Noble home, was just leaving his house to go to work. He heard the shot and saw the man fall. Hickey summoned others and the negro was carried to the police station. Physicians found that Wilson's stomach had been perforated with shot. He was brought to jail later in the morning and, while suffering considerably from his wounds, evidently had something on his mind which was causing him more concern. Finally he roused himself from deep meditation and, turning to a jail official, said:

"Who would have thought that fellow would have an alarm in his house?"

MAY USE OXYGEN IN EFFORT TO SAVE FIELD

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Prepared to administer oxygen as a last expedient, physicians in attendance upon Marshall Field at the Holland house, as well as the merchant's nephew, Stanley Field, admitted today that Mr. Field's condition was such that he had small chance of recovery.

Drs. Riggs, James, Janeway and Billings were at the bedside of the stricken merchant today and tonight, using their skill to prolong what seemed a futile struggle to save Mr. Field's life.

The following bulletin was issued by them at 10:45 o'clock tonight:

"Mr. Field has lost ground during the day and the outlook is less favorable."

Apparatus to administer oxygen was taken into the apartment today. The physicians would make no statement that they were prepared to use it tonight, but the grave condition of the merchant makes it necessary to be prepared for any exigency which may arise.

During the afternoon Mr. Field's condition was unchanged. He rested quietly, accepted with every degree of resignation the attention of his physicians and nurses and seemed to feel that there was reason to believe that he might recover.

RELATIONS SEVERED.

Formal Notice Sevred on Venezuela by France—Russell Will Represent That Country.

CARACAS, VENEZUELA, Jan. 11, VIA PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD, Jan. 14.—The Venezuelan government having continued to abstain from renewing relations with France through M. Taigny, the French charge d'affaires, Mr. Russell, the American minister yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon delivered a note to Venezuela on behalf of France severing relations between the two countries. The archives and interests of France remain in the hands of Mr. Russell. M. Taigny has been recalled.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—Mr. Russell has notified the state department of his action in delivering a note to the Venezuelan government on behalf of France severing diplomatic relations.

Royal Reception to Nogi.

TOKYO, Jan. 14.—Gen. Nogi, who arrived today from Manchuria, was given a popular reception similar in enthusiasm to that accorded Admiral Togo.

FIND GIRL'S BODY LYING IN FIELD

Notifies Friends of Intended Suicide and Tells Them Where to Look for Her.

MYSTERY IN THE TRAGEDY

Found lying dead in a field beside her home in Pleasant Valley, with an empty carbolic acid bottle by her side, the death of 15-year-old Nettie Hastings, although apparently that of a suicide, is surrounded with considerable mystery, owing to the strange note left by her and the total absence of motive for the deed. The girl's body was discovered at about 3:30 yesterday afternoon in a field adjoining the home of her mother, Mrs. Catherine Amane, of Pleasant Valley, O'Hara township, after she had been absent from home since early Saturday morning.

The body was found by Bertha Anderson and Carrie Lucas of 235 Thirty-eighth street, Pittsburgh, who worked with Nettie in a laundry. The girls had come to pay a visit to Miss Hastings and when they arrived at her home about 3:30 o'clock they talked with the family for over a half hour, evading all inquiries about Nettie's whereabouts. Then they told her step-father, Louis Amane, that "she's down in the field."

Amane saw by the girls' actions that something extraordinary had occurred, and hurried to the field where he found his daughter lying dead, face downward, near the path, a bunch of carnations lying by her head and an empty bottle, marked carbolic acid, lying by her side. The girls then told the girl's mother that Nettie had given them a note Saturday morning, after making them promise they would not open it until Sunday evening. The note was addressed to Bertha Anderson and read:

Dear Friend Bertha: Just a few lines that I will have to leave all, as, Bertha, I am disgusted with life. I am going to take carbolic acid in that big field, so if you don't hear anything about me tell mamma where she will find me, and, Bertha, I want you to come to the funeral and cry. Henry, tell mamma I want my hair parted and fixed, like I always do, and to not go to any expense for me, but bury me beside Norman. I hope they will all have a good life like I did, because I have never disgraced my mother in any way.

Early Saturday morning the girl left home to go to the laundry, where she had been employed for the past six months. She was in good spirits. She left the laundry about 5 o'clock and at 8:10 was seen to board a Sharpsburg and Aspinwall car at Forty-seventh street. This is the last that was seen of her by her friends. On Sunday morning her brothers, John and Frank Hastings, went to Sharpsburg to church and Sabbath school, passing through the field where their sister was later found dead and returning home at about 2 o'clock in the afternoon through the same field along the very path where the body was found.

Mrs. Ada Weisberg, aged 57, of 1844 Webster avenue, drank carbolic acid at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and died an hour later.

Mrs. Weisberg had been in ill health for some time and had often threatened to end her life. She went to her room in the afternoon and soon afterward the family heard her groaning. Physicians were summoned, but she died in spite of all efforts to save her.

E. J. W. Shoebaugh, aged 50, of 43 Ashton street, Allegheny, was crushed to death between two cars last night at the Island avenue crossing of the Ft. Wayne railroad. He was a brakeman.

Steve Bona, aged 43, of Blair street, McKeesport, died yesterday from burns received Saturday, while at work in the mills at Clairton.

John Lengyel, aged 25, of 4 Alexis street, Hazelwood, was smothered yesterday in a pile of cinders at Jones & Laughlin mills, Second avenue and Bates street.

Ceasar Domarhowski, aged 10 months, was playing on the bed at his home, 4 spring alley, Saturday night. The boy wanted a bottle to play with and an older child gave him one. The bottle contained creosote, which the infant swallowed. He died at 6 o'clock yesterday morning.

Mary Shuster, aged 20, of 3940 Elizabeth street, died at the Homeopathic hospital yesterday from burns received at her home Friday. Her tongue was burned so badly that she was unable to tell how the accident happened. It is supposed her clothing caught fire while she was working about the kitchen. She was alone in the house at the time of the accident.

The coroner was notified yesterday of the death of Mary Parks, aged 21, of South Fayette township, who was killed by a train on the Panhandle railroad near Treveskyn station late Saturday night.

MUTINOUS CREW TRIES TO KILL THE CAPTAIN

Rescue Comes When the Ship, Lying Helpless, Is Reduced to But One Bottle of Water.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The American line steamer St. Paul arrived tonight. It brought Capt. Sheppard and crew of nine men of the American bark Edward L. Mayberry, which was abandoned at sea December 15 when 250 miles east of Cape Hatteras. The men were rescued by the American bark Statia and were landed at Havre.

According to Capt. Sheppard, his crew was for four days in practical mutiny. When the Mayberry became unmanageable, on December 10, negroes shipped in the south collected a butt of water, some pork, flour and beans and declared that they were going to desert. Capt. Sheppard pulled his revolver and announced that he would shoot the first man who attempted to take the boat.

"On the night of December 12," says Capt. Sheppard, "They had decided to murder me. I did not get a wink of sleep, but sat revolver in hand. The sea was continually making a sweep over us."

On December 15 they were reduced to one small bottle of water and this the captain guarded. On the morning of December 16 they were taken off.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, January 14.

New York—Lucania, from Liverpool and Queenstown; La Savoie, from Havre; St. Paul, from Southampton and Cherbourg; Hannover, from Bremen.

Liverpool—Winifredian, from Boston.

Southampton—St. Louis, from New York, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Sailed, January 14.

Rotterdam—Rotterdam, for New York, via Boulogne.

Liverpool—Bohemian, for Boston.

Queenstown—Umbria, from Liverpool, for New York.

Dover—Moltke, from Hamburg, for New York, via Boulogne.

Passed, January 14.

Inishtrahull—Liberian, from St. Johns, N. B., for Glasgow.

Prawle Point—Zeeland, from Antwerp for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Mr. Willard in "David Garrick" and "The Man Who Was," 8:15 p. m.

DELASCO—"The Heart of Maryland," 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

ALVIN—"Buster Brown," 8 p. m.

GAYETY—"The World Beaters," spectacular burlesques, and the Samois, Arabian acrobats, 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"From Rags to Riches," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—Kellar, the magician, 2 and 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS ACADEMY—Fulton's "Jolly Grass Widows," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating with music, afternoon and evening.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Second annual American Photographic Salon under auspices of Pittsburgh Academy of Science and Art, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

RUSSIANS TAKE GLOOMY OUTLOOK

Killing of Student on Their New Year's Day Deepens Convictions of Bloody Year.

NICHOLAS THANKS AMERICA

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 14.—The sanguinary tragedy in the restaurant "Bear" early this morning in which the student Davidoff was shot and killed by Count Sheremetieff and the count was battered by friends of the dead man has cast a shadow over the New Year festivities. At every New Year's reception today the affair was a subject for conversation, it being universally accepted by superstitious Russians as an augury that blood, passion and violence will reign in the empire in 1906.

Strangely enough the Zritel (Spectator) this morning printed a picture representing the specter of death interrupting and spreading consternation at a New Year feast.

The note struck by the radical press in reviewing the past year, and commenting on the outlook for the new year is an extremely pessimistic one. These newspapers see no prospect of internal peace, but they unite in expressing the hope that 1906 will not end as did 1905 with the spirit of reaction strongly in the ascendant.

M. Alfiteatroff, one of the most brilliant of Russian journalists who served a term of exile for his famous political feuilleton in which he arraigned the members of the imperial family as public bandits and who recently has been living in Rome, predicts that the coming year will witness the financial and political bankruptcy of the government.

M. Durnovo, who so far as the proletariat organizations are concerned, is the best hated man in public life, has been promoted from acting minister of the interior to minister, thus increasing the influence of the bureaucratic hierarchy. It is significant that in the annual renewal of appointments, Count Solsky, president of the council of the empire, and the heads of departments in the council have been appointed "until the reorganization of that body."

The emperor and empress held a New Year's reception in the palace at Tsars-Koe-Selo today to which the members of the diplomatic corps traveled in a special train from St. Petersburg. The absence of Count Witte created some comment, but it was officially explained that the reception was a special one for the representatives of the foreign powers.

The emperor looked well and spoke pleasantly to all his visitors, specially singling out Mr. Meyer, the American ambassador, and Herr Von Schoen, the German ambassador. He took occasion to renew his expressions of gratitude for the part played by President Roosevelt and the United States in bringing about peace with Japan.

MINISTER GONE; BOARD RESIGNS

Troubles in Hazelwood Congregation Have Climax at Morning Services.

LAYMAN HOLDS COMMUNION

Six of the seven officers of the First Christian congregation of Hazelwood tendered their resignations yesterday morning and walked from the church, refusing to take part in the services. There has been dissatisfaction between the congregation and the board for some time. Rumors of various kinds have been circulated by a number of the members of the congregation, it is said, regarding the pastor, the Rev. H. H. Clark. It is claimed this faction went so far as to state that the reason for the absence of the pastor at Wednesday evening prayer meeting was that he had to remain at home and do the washing. When he failed to attend a picnic given by the church, the family washing was again assigned as the cause.

From bad to worse the reports went. The climax was furnished, it is claimed, by the Rev. W. J. Wright, superintendent of evangelistic work of the Christian church, who assisted the Rev. Mr. Clark in a revival in this city several months ago. It is said the Rev. Mr. Wright wrote the Rev. Mr. Clark a personal letter asking that he resign, stating he was not giving satisfaction as minister of the Hazelwood church.

Several Sundays ago Mr. Clark read this letter to his congregation, and asked that they vote as to whether he should remain or resign. The vote resulted in 70 members favoring the minister, while four voted with the board for his resignation. After some deliberation the Rev. Mr. Clark tendered his resignation, leaving Saturday to assume his duties as pastor of a Christian church at Salem, O. This augmented the trouble between the board and the congregation, resulting in the six resignations yesterday.

Those who resigned were:

D. G. Morgan, chairman; Alfred Barber, M. L. Campbell, H. L. Bossinger, F. F. Greene and George H. Sherlock, clerk. Thomas Bolitho is the only member who remains with the congregation. After the resigning members of the board had walked out, followed by two members, communion was served by D. F. Mitchell, financial secretary of the congregation.

Those who favor the Rev. Mr. Clark are outspoken in their declarations. Several members of the choir were heard to remark after the close of services last night that they only wish they were able to find as good a man as Mr. Clark.

The Rev. Owen Livengood, a young pastor of Columbus, has taken charge of the church as its present pastor. He delivered his first sermon yesterday morning and will probably be retained as the regular pastor. A new board will be elected in a short while, as the resigning members refuse to return.

CLAIMS PRIOR BUCKETED DEALS

New York Stock Exchange Knew a Year Ago of His Method of Doing Business.

EXPERTS CANNOT OPEN SAFE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 14.—Through correspondence made public tonight by C. W. Heaton, a former employe of the brokerage firm of Denison, Prior & Company, it was shown that the New York stock exchange was notified over a year ago of the "bucketing" operations of L. W. Prior, the broker who committed suicide Tuesday.

Heaton notified C. I. Hudson, W. W. Heaton, New York brokers, and Charles L. Burnham, assistant secretary of the New York stock exchange, of Prior's dealings. Heaton visited New York in January, 1905. On February 23 of that year Heaton wrote to W. W. Heaton, of the firm of Day & Heaton, New York, telling him that Prior was "bucketing" orders and saying he would give evidence.

On March 6 Heaton again wrote to W. W. Heaton, telling him if he could not go to New York he would forward affidavits covering the facts in the case. The reply shows that W. W. Heaton placed this information before the board of governors or other authoritative committee without delay. Heaton then wrote to Burnham March 28, stating that he had been assaulted by Prior and his friends, who had taken his memorandum book covering Prior's "bucketing" transactions.

Regarding the total liabilities and assets of the firm of Denison, Prior & Co., and the chances for a distribution for the creditors, a member of the bankers' committee this afternoon made the following statement, based on the information gleaned from the books up to the close of the examination of Saturday:

The indicated liabilities of the firm, aside from the forged bonds known to be outstanding, will amount to between $800,000 and $900,000. The indicated assets are between $400,000 and $500,000. There will be a loss to the creditors of about $500,000, according to the outlook and the information in the hands of the committee. In addition to this there are bond frauds amounting to $700,000 already known, so that the combined deficit will be from $1,250,000 to $1,500,000.

The private safe of Prior has not been opened, notwithstanding that efforts have been made to do so for the last three days by bank experts and machinists.

ENVOYS GATHER FOR CONFERENCE

French Delegate Compares His Country's Interest to Exercise of Monroe Doctrine.

NOVEL SCENE IN ALGECIRAS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ALGECIRAS, Jan. 14.—Amid the roar of the guns of the Spanish warships, Mohammed el Torres, the Moroccan minister of foreign affairs, who will represent Morocco in the conference, landed here this afternoon. It was a picturesque scene, suggestive of the struggle about to begin among the powers over Morocco. The entire population, made up mainly of throngs of Moors and Spaniards, packed the quays to witness the debarkation of the Moroccan statesman and his suite from the Spanish cruiser Dio del Plata, which arrived unexpectedly.

The party consisted of 61 persons all richly garbed in flowing white robes and wearing white and red turbans. The Spanish state coaches, which were brought from Seville, received Mohammed el Torres and his suite, and took them to a villa alongside those set apart for the British and French delegations.

Gibraltar was another center of activity today, owing to the presence of many fleets. The American blue jackets were conspicuous about the streets, where they fraternized with the British sailors. Many of the American sailors attended the dress parade of the British garrison at the citadel.

Americans Entertained.

Rear Admiral Sigsbee and the captains of the American squadrons were the recipients of many courtesies, among them a dinner given by Admiral Sir Edward Chichester, the commercial commandant of all the naval establishments at Gibraltar.

The American and British officers will be the guests tomorrow at a dinner to be given by Richard L. Sprague, the American consul at Gibraltar, at which Henry White, the Ambassador at Rome, who will represent the United States in the conference, will be present, if he should arrive in time. It is expected that this dinner will give occasion for an exchange of amenities, and that it will have an additional significance, coming on the eve of the conference.

M. Revoil, head of the French delegation, in a conversation, brought out the following points having special reference to the United States.

The correspondent asked M. Revoil why France occupied a special position in Morocco, in reply to which the delegate pointed out that the geographical proximity and the extent of the Algerian frontier contributed largely to establish this special position.

Doctrine Like Monroe's.

When it was suggested that the Monroe doctrine was based upon the theory of geographical proximity the statesman strongly assented, remarking upon the quite natural special position which the United States occupied toward South and Central America. Only recently, he said, this special interest had been shown toward Cuba and Panama, and at present it was being exercised in the case of the relations of France with Venezuela.

"You can readily judge from the American standpoint," said M. Revoil, "how the proximity of France to Morocco gives us a natural and legitimate concern as to that country."

M. Revoil would not discuss the conference, but by his bearing he showed confidence that it would have a satisfactory result.

ARMY TRANSPORT WOEFULLY WEAK

General Staff Reports to Senate Committee Absolute Need for Over-Sea Service.

CUBAN EXPEDITION CITED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—A remarkable exposition of the fatal weakness of the army transport resources in case of war is contained in a paper prepared by the general staff, transmitted by Secretary Taft to Senator Gallinger, chairman of the merchant marine commission in charge of the shipping bill now pending before the senate. The general staff has discovered that even the present limited military force could not be transported over the sea in case of a war with a foreign country, or to defend our insular possessions unless there should be an immediate and great increase in the number of American steamships.

It is pointed out that foreign shipping could not be drawn upon in time of war because of the neutrality laws, so that "the quick first blow, so very and increasingly important, cannot be struck at all." Incidentally the staff criticises with greatest freedom the conditions under which the first little American army was transported to Santiago to begin the Spanish-American war.

The reply of the war department has been prepared by a special committee of the general staff and is transmitted to Secretary Taft by Lieut.-Gen. Chaffee, chief of staff. This report stated that two sizes of merchant steamships are desirable for transport services, ships of 5,500 tons and of 5,500 tons gross register vessels of medium dimensions. The speed which both the navy and the war departments have determined upon is a sustained sea rate of 12 knots.

Steamships of 6,000 and of 5,500 tons are preferred, because "it is conceded to be indispensable to the best results that each ship shall carry "a tactical unit of troops." This tactical unit is the infantry regiment or a battalion of engineers, battalion of infantry, a squadron of cavalry, etc. To embark a division would require 10 6,500-ton ships and nine 5,500-ton ships.

With the present strength of the regular army two such divisions could be made ready to embark in 15 days, hence 20 of the larger and 18 of the smaller ships available in 15 days would be sufficient. As such an expedition may be necessary from either the Atlantic or Pacific coast the report urges that there should be on each side a number of suitable ships afloat. There should be not less than 60 of the larger and 54 of the smaller size afloat in Atlantic and the same in Pacific waters.

The report declares that no such fleet could be furnished out of the present resources of the American merchant marine. The official list for 1904 shows 57 sea-going ships of 4,000 gross tons and upward, with an aggregate tonnage of 400,000. This includes the very fast Atlantic liners, which would doubtless be required for the navy for scouts.

The report frankly criticises the Santiago expedition of 1898. Every American vessel that could be obtained in the Atlantic ports during the 20 days following the declaration of war, was chartered—a fleet of 36 vessels averaging 2,500 tons, only two of them over 4,000 tons. "The official records afford ample evidence that the safe arrival was due to the good fortune of continued fine weather." It says. No cooking could be done on board ship except to make coffee. Sanitary arrangements were crude and insufficient. Of ventilation there was practically none.

To Unveil Monument June 8.

BELLEFONTE, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—June 8 has been fixed as the date for the unveiling of the Center county soldiers' monument and Curtin memorial, which are nearly completed. Col. Thomas J. Stewart, National Commander A. W. Tanner of the G. A. R., and Col. A. K. McClure will be invited to make the principal addresses. The governor and his staff and Major General Charles Miller and his staff, with the three brigadier-generals of the National Guard, will be invited to attend the ceremonies.

Oil Fever Strikes Wooster.

WOOSTER, O., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The striking of oil in paying quantity at Butler, Richland county, has caused excitement in this section of Ohio. Five companies have been organized here alone, holding leases on many hundreds of acres in the western part of the county. One company has already contracted to drill three test holes northwest of the city.

Glass Plant Is Destroyed.

ALTOONA, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The Altoona glass works, started 10 years ago by popular subscriptions to stock, was burned at 3:20 o'clock this morning. The flames spread rapidly and the only part saved was the stock room, which contains $10,000 worth of glass ready for market. The plant was valued at $30,000, with $10,000 isurance. The fire is believed to have been incendiary.

WHAT DO YOU CARE?
YOU'VE GOT YOUR HEALTH.

Great Natures Do Not Despair at Disappointment—They Look for Something Else to Do.

The broad-gauged man of today does not get blue just because things don't always come his way unless there is something the matter with him. If he "falls down" on one proposition he immediately starts to look up another. He always looks forward and keeps on hustling. A man with his health and faculties has plenty of opportunities and the man who gives up or even feels like it has either a small nature or some physical weakness.

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You can satisfy yourself of the truth of this statement by putting the food you eat into a glass jar with sufficient water and one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. The process of digestion will be taken up and carried out just as the gastric juice and other digestive fluids would do it. Their action is natural and they cause no disturbance in the digestive organs. In fact you forget you have a stomach when they begin to do their work, so mild and natural is the operation. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are for sale by all druggists at 50c a box.

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RADICAL CHANGE IN NEW YORK TERMINAL

Subway Will Be Used by Pennsylvania to Haul Passengers to Harrison, N. J.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Fifteen minutes from Newark, N. J., to Herald Square and Broadway, and establishment of a gigantic trunk line terminal in Harrison, N. J., are plans of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. In these things it is working with the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, and the Belmont-Ryan syndicate of this city.

Many conferences have been held by A. J. Cassatt, Frank L. Shephard, superintendent of the New Jersey division; Mr. Carter, James Smith, Jr., August Belmont, William McAdoo and Thomas F. Ryan.

One of the most radical features of the plans is the proposal of the Pennsylvania railroad to practically abandon its great terminal in Jersey City and establish a greater one at Fourteenth street, in Harrison, which is directly opposite Newark on the Passaic river. Passengers will take fast trains in Harrison for any downtown tunnel terminals of the McAdoo and Pennsylvania systems.

Passengers for the south and west, instead of going to Jersey City will board trains in Herald square or points named downtown and be transported to Harrison and there changed to heavier Pullman trains of the Pennsylvania trunk lines. Work under the new plans is to be started soon. It is believed the changes will be completed in five years.

DEATH AND DAMAGE ARE CARRIED BY BIG STORM

Electric Wires Fall Under Load of Sleet in the Metropolis—Chimney Collapses and Wrecks a Home.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Two persons met death in the storm which swept over New York and New Jersey early today. Both were electrocuted from contact with fallen electric light wires. Sleet, snow and rain, which froze as it fell, created a condition in the streets which threatened to tie up traffic. Many electric lighting, telephone and telegraph wires, heavily coated with ice, gave way under the strain, and coming in contact with the more heavily charged of those, one man was killed in Long Island City at almost the same time another met a similar fate in Newark, N. J.

The tugboat Eugene F. Moran reported the loss of two lives. The Moran was towing two scows out to sea yesterday, when the hawser parted. One of the scows capsized and one of her crew was drowned. A few moments later, when the Moran attempted to pass a line to the other scow, a heavy sea swept a man from the deck.

Giving way under a great weight of sleet-covered electric and telephone wires and the terrific blasts of the storm, a mammoth chimney, seven feet square and 80 feet high, on a six-story factory building at 205-207-209 East Forty-third street, crashed down upon a four-story tenement, next door, imperiling the lives of two-score persons and demolishing almost the entire top floor of the dwelling place.

Huge chunks of brick and cement, forming boulders, tore through the roof of the tenement, splintering 4x12-inch beams, and plowed their way down to the second floor below, carrying tons of wreckage with them. That no one was killed was by the merest chance, for nine persons were asleep on the upper floor, within 10 feet of where the mass of brick, iron and wire fell.

Fire started in the ruins from a broken gas pipe, but the flames were stifled with a shawl by a woman.

Within a few minutes after the accident the house was like a crushed ant hill. The tenants, half-clad and disheveled, ran to the lower floors, their cries awakening the persons in adjoining houses and drawing a great crowd.

BIG VOTE FOR KIRSCHLER.

Although He Has No Opposition at Republican Primaries, 13,588 Votes Are Cast.

A count of the vote cast at the Republican primaries for mayor on Saturday by the secretary and clerks of the Republican city committee at their headquarters in East Diamond street, yesterday afternoon, shows that Charles F. Kirschler, the only mayoralty candidate, received 13,588 votes. The large vote polled is a surprise to the members of the city committee and shows the great interest being manifested by the party on the North Side in the coming contest for mayor.

GUEST PAYS LIFE AS TOLL

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overcoat and wearing no outer shirt, went to the station house and secured Gontoni's release by putting up a forfeit of $30. At 8:40 o'clock more trouble occurred at the Trenga house, and this resulted in the arrest of James Toni and Dan Perrillo.

In less than half an hour two young Italians rushed into the station and said a cutting affray had taken place at Trenga's home. The police hurried to the scene and discovered Carello's unconscious form lying in the barber shop a block away from Trenga's place.

According to the story told by Frank Bechto, who lives in the alley just back of the barber shop, he and his family were at supper about 9 p. m. when they heard a noise in the alley. A quarrel took place, which lasted only a short time and then Bechto says he heard some one exclaim "Don't kill me." When he opened the door to investigate, no one was in sight.

The murdered man was about 28 years old, and boarded with Rocco Lopollo at 222 Omega street. He was a laborer, but had not worked for some weeks, his father having only recently come from Italy to take him back home. The son had been in this country four years. Trenga, who is suspected to have committed the murder, is about 24 years old.

Dreams of Fire and Is Hurt.

ERIE, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Evidently dreaming that he heard a fire alarm, William Sheldon, a new man in the No. 5 engine house, jumped up suddenly from his sleep this afternoon and rushed to the stairway, where he plunged headlong to the first floor, sustaining serious injuries. He was picked up unconscious and may not live.

HARD COAL PRESIDENTS CONFER WITH MITCHELL

It Is Believed They Discussed the Answer Sent by the Anthracite Operators.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Jan. 14.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, and Presidents Fahey, Nichols and Dettrey, with their secretaries, Demsey, Gallagher and Hartlein, representing the anthracite districts, were in consultation during the greater part of the day over the situation in the anthracite fields.

Tonight, when they separated, each declared that nothing had been accomplished. There is no doubt the conference was called by President Mitchell to consider the answer which the anthracite operators gave to the committee which called upon them and which was sent here to President Mitchell without being opened.

Mr. Mitchell will incorporate the reply of the operators in his address, and refuses to give any intimation of its purport in advance of the assembling of the convention. The delegates to the convention are arriving by every train and all agree that this is to be the most important meeting in the history of the organization.

Habits and Homes of Wild Birds.

The building habits and the homes of wild birds will be the subject of a lecture before the Academy of Science and Art in the conservatory of music, Dithridge street, next Thursday evening. The lecturer will be Dr. Francis H. Herrick, professor of biology in Adelbert college, Western Reserve university, Cleveland, O. Dr. Herrick has made a study of wild birds since 1899, spending a great deal of time in the woods. The lecture will include bird lore of ancient and modern times and will be illustrated by more than 100 lantern pictures.

FORGED CERTIFICATES PRACTICALLY LOCATED

No Further Search for Norfolk & Western's Fraudulent Securities Is Necessary, Is Claimed.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Information which came to the district attorney today indicated that the forged certificates of Norfolk & Western stock which Charles Augustus Seton is accused of having attempted to negotiate and for which Pinkerton detectives and the district attorney have been searching for several days have been found, or the knowledge has come to the authorities that the books of certificates have been destroyed.

Neither Mr. Garvan, who has charge of the case for the district attorney, nor the superintendent of the Pinkerton agency, Mr. Dougherty, would make a definite statement that the fraudulent certificates had been found, but it is known that no search will be made.

Regarding the advisability of a new issue of N. & W. stock to protect holders of the securities from the forged certificates, A. J. Hemple, vice president of the Guaranty Trust Company, said that it was not necessary. He said that if the stockholders send their certificates to the office of the railroad company for verification they will be fully protected.

LAWMAKERS ARRIVING FOR SPECIAL SESSION

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legislative apportionment, municipal corporations, judiciary general, banks, elections, accounts and compare bills. The last two will have little to do, but must be named.

The municipal corporations will have charge of the Greater Pittsburgh bill and the legislation relating to Philadelphia. Speaker Walton is figuring on a hearing for the annexation measure. This hearing will be arranged for early in the session.

Will Start Work at Once.

It is probable the house will not be ready for the introduction of bills until Tuesday. On that day practically all of the legislation will be put in. The committees will go to work at once and the lawmakers will have something to work on Wednesday.

President Woods is not decided about appointing committees in the senate. It is probable he will allow the old committees to stand, or follow the program of Speaker Walton. He has decided, however, to give the chairmanship of the judiciary general committee to Senator John S. Fisher of Indiana. This position was held by Senator Woods in the regular session.

John H. Fow, the "foghorn" Democrat, has broken into the house from Philadelphia on the reform wave. He is an old member and is expected to lead the trouble-making corps. Speaker Walton will give him a place on the judiciary general committee. Fow is said to have prepared a number of resolutions with which he hopes to make political capital for the Democrats. In the recent special elections, the Democrats secured five members, giving them a total of 20.

The Sixth district of Luzerne county will furnish a contest. Representative Holcomb resigned after the last session. When the extra meeting was called, he tried to withdraw his resignation. Speaker Walton secured an opinion from Attorney General Carson declaring the seat vacant.

Holcomb Will Claim Seat.

Holcomb insists he is still a member and will try to claim his seat. At the special election, W. F. Shannon, a Democrat, defeated David Lewis, Republican, by a majority of 59. Lewis will file a contest. He says that in four election districts populated by Irish, Shannon received 575 votes to his 7. Lewis hints that he may show there was skullduggery.

President Woods has appointed the Rev. Dr. E. J. Knox of Greensburg, chaplain of the senate. In the last session the position was filled by the Rev. J. Wesley Sullivan of Philadelphia, who insisted upon offering the daily prayer during the special meeting, even though he has changed his residence to Asbury Park, N. J. Senator Woods made an investigation and satisfied himself that the Rev. Mr. Sullivan has quit the state. The old chaplain may appear tomorrow to fill the $6 a day position, but he will not be recognized.

The Allegheny county legislators here tonight are Senators Woods, Representatives McWhinney, Moore, Esler, Riley, Kline, Woodward and Smith. The others will arrive in the morning. They are all ready to support the governor on all of his propositions, with the possible exception of Greater Pittsburgh. Some of the country members will object.

Representative Robert McWhinney of Allegheny has reconstructed his legislative apportionment bill.

Reconstructs His Bill.

It was done in Pittsburgh Saturday at a conference attended by the members from the country districts of the county and Republican County Chairman Ford. It is believed the measure will have the support of the entire local delegation. In the first bill prepared by McWhinney, the mistake was made of giving Pittsburgh 11 members, when it is entitled to 10. In the new measure the city gets 10, Allegheny four, McKeesport one and the country districts nine. This makes a total of 24 and a gain of eight members for the county. The 11 districts of the county are made up as follows:

First—The First, Third, Fourth, Seventh, Eighth, Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth wards of Allegheny. It elects two members.

Second—The remaining wards of Allegheny. It elects two members.

Third—The First, Fourth, Fifth, Ninth, Tenth, Twelfth, and Fifteenth wards of Pittsburgh. It elects one member. Population 31,620.

Fourth—Second, Third, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Eleventh and Thirteenth wards of Pittsburgh. It elects two members. Population, 82,754.

Fifth—Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards of Pittsburgh. It elects two members. Population, 57,995.

Sixth—Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Thirty-seventh and Forty-first wards of Pittsburgh. It elects two members. Population a little over 57,062.

Attach Fourteenth to South Side.

Seventh—Fourteenth, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth wards of Pittsburgh. It elects three members. Population, 108,425. It will be noticed the Fourteenth ward is attached to the South Side to make this district.

Eighth—The city of McKeesport. It elects one member. Population, 34,227.

Ninth—The boroughs of Braddock, Edgewood, East McKeesport, Glassport, East Pittsburgh, Elizabeth, North Braddock, Oakmont, Pitcairn, Port Vue, Rankin, Swissvale, Turtle Creek, Verona, Versailles, Wilmerding, Wilkinsburg and Wall and the townships of Braddock, Elizabeth, Forward, Lincoln, North Versailles and Wilkins. It elects three members. Population 85,009.

Tenth—This district is composed of the boroughs and townships lying south of the Monongahela and Ohio rivers. It elects four members and has a population of 117,433.

Eleventh—This district comprises the boroughs and townships north of the Ohio and Allegheny rivers and is just the same as the present Seventh district. It elects two members.

The present Eighth district elects one member. Mr. McWhinney takes McKeesport out of it, making that city a separate district.

Increases Membership of House.

The boroughs and townships lying in the neck between the Youghiogheny and the Monongahela rivers, which are now in the Sixth district, have been joined to the boroughs and townships in the present Eighth district and the new territory given three representatives. Mr. Woodward of McKeesport, who now represents the Eighth, would like to have some of the country districts attached to McKeesport, but this would be unconstitutional.

Mr. McWhinney's bill increases the membership of the house from 204 to 207. These 18 counties lose one member each: Adams, Bedford, Bradford, Bucks, Centre, Chester, Clarion, Crawford, Columbia, Huntingdon, Indiana, Lancaster, Lycoming, Mercer, Montgomery, Schuylkill, Susquehanna and Wayne. They have a combined vote in this house of 54.

These counties make the following gains: Allegheny 3, Philadelphia 2, Luzerne 2, Lackawanna 2, and Blair, Cambria, Clearfield, Fayette, Jefferson, Northumberland and Westmoreland one each, making a total of 21.

Mr. McWhinney will introduce his bill on Tuesday and expects to have it taken as the basis in figuring out a legislative apportionment. The members of the other counties, which are large enough for division into separate districts, will submit the data for those districts. The friends of apportionment will insist on the appointment of a new committee in the house.

The present committee is made up almost entirely of members whose counties would lose by a redistricting of the state. The chairman is Mr. Alsip of Bedford.

Senator Crawford of Allegheny will introduce the Tredway senatorial apportionment bill. This measure gives Allegheny two additional senators, or a total of six. Senator Phillips of Lawrence says he is not particular whether his county is attached to Mercer or Beaver. The Mercer members want the district to remain Mercer and Lawrence and object to being put in with Butler. The latter county prefers to remain with Armstrong.

The Democratic legislators will caucus at noon tomorrow. The program is to elect Senator Cochran of Lycoming the chairman. At the meeting a bill regulating state deposits, prepared by Homer L. Castle, will be presented. He is here to explain the measure to the caucus.

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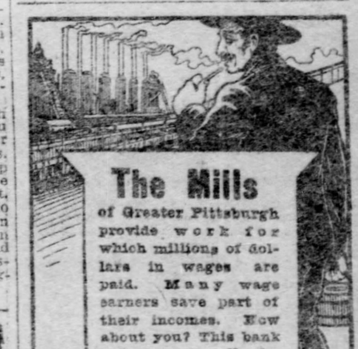

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FIGHT CEASES IN BIGELOW'S WARD

Harmony Council Ticket Is Being Made—Porter Is Named in Twenty-First.

PERLEY HAS A CLOSE CALL

Republican and Citizens party leaders are trying to patch up their differences in the Nineteenth ward, where Director Bigelow and former Senator William Flinn reside, and expect to agree upon a council ticket which is to be announced the middle of the week.

Ever since Director Bigelow was ousted by councils in 1900 there has been a bitter factional fight in the Nineteenth ward which entailed the expenditure of many thousands of dollars in every contest. Director Bigelow said at the City hall the other day that he spent $11,000 in the Nineteenth ward alone out of his own pocket in the Hays campaign of three years ago.

A committee of five has been appointed by the chairman of the Republican ward committee to negotiate with a similar committee from the Citizens organization, and it was stated last night that a council ticket, composed of a candidate for select and two for common council, would be announced on Wednesday.

Charles H. West, the present Bigelow select councilman, and Common Councilman D. J. Bole, also a Bigelow follower, are not being considered. Mr. West said last night he was not a candidate. Mr. Bole said he did not know whether he was a candidate or not, and he had not been asked by any one to run. Mr. Bole is Director Bigelow's chairman of the finance committee of councils.

Harmony in Twenty-First.

A harmony council ticket has been nominated by the Republicans and Citizens in the Twenty-first ward. Robert Porter, a Citizens member of common council, was named for select council. Charles Ross and Hugh Cosgrove are named for common council. The school directors for the Lincoln sub-district are S. E. Chalfant and J. M. Hunter for the long term, and Dr. T. H. Colhauer and Philip Gilson for the short term. The school directors for the Homewood sub-district are Fred Schmitz and M. C. Cable.

Dr. George W. McNeil, former member of common council, will be Robert Porter's opponent for select council. Dr. McNeil will run on the Orphans, Municipal league and Democratic tickets. The Independents of the Twenty-first ward hold a meeting tonight to nominate a full ward ticket.

It was reported yesterday that a contest would take place today at the meeting of the Fourteenth ward Republican committee for one of the the nominations for common council. J. A. Perley received 394 votes at the primary and James F. Murphy received one vote less. It was reported that Murphy was going to contest Perley's nomination, but this could not be verified. It was stated at the C. L. Magee club last night that the threatened contest had been dropped.

Mr. Perley is the only one of the present four common councilmen from the Fourteenth ward to receive a renomination because of being in the liquor business and barred by order of the license court. James McKnight withdrew because of his brother, Alexander McKnight, the chairman of the ward committee, being a candidate for select council. W. H. Johns was defeated for a renomination by 47 votes.

While it was the prevailing opinion on Saturday that John Upperman would be renominated for select council from the Fifteenth ward by reason of the withdrawal of Samuel F. Kerr from the primary, it was stated yesterday by Upperman's friends that he would not be a candidate. Upperman was reported to be at home ill.

The Citizens party organization has been abandoned by the city payrollers in the Thirty-fifth ward, where a large number of men on the city payroll reside and where the Bigelow following is led by Andrew Burk, superintendent of the bureau of construction. Mr. Burk stated yesterday that every man on the city payroll would support the Republican council ticket, and the Citizens party title would be taken over by the independents.

Citizens Stand by Rossiter.

In the Twenty-seventh ward the Republican and Citizens will hold another meeting today to try to reach an agreement on the council ticket. John Dengler and William Rossiter have been named for common council by the Citizens, but on Saturday the Republicans refused to accept Rossiter. It is stated the Citizens will insist upon Rossiter being nominated today because he withdrew two years ago to permit John Maslowski to go on the Citizens ticket with Dengler, and now the Citizens leaders claim they are duty bound to stand by Rossiter. Maslowski is said to be threatening vengeance upon the Citizens for being dropped, but the Citizens claim the Polish element, where Maslowski got his strength, is now divided.

The Thirtieth ward Republicans did not make up a ward ticket Saturday. This duty had been delegated to a committee, but they had troubles enough in the ward without the committee adding to them Saturday. In the First district the polls were not opened.

The district chairman went to his home on Sycamore street and opened polls where 36 votes were cast for Jenkinson. In the meantime the Republican inspector on the regular election board opened polls on the curb and took in 65 votes for Magee and eight for Jenkinson.

In the Second district the owner of the polling place demanded the rent before opening the doors. It was not forthcoming and Thomas Sheriden, a Magee overseer, made a house to house canvass of the district and gathered up 29 votes for Magee.

When the ballots were carried to Republican headquarters they were thrown into a corner and not counted.

The ward ticket will be fixed up this week. The only candidate talked about is T. A. Lanz for common council, and it is said that if he is not on the Republican ticket he will be put in the field by the Independents and Citizens.

The Thirtieth ward Democrats will hold primaries to settle their ticket. The candidates for common council are James Mullaney, John Frey, Jr., and M. J. Callahan; for school directors, James Fallon and Daniel Dayney, and for assessor, Michael Leonard and Patrick Burns.

Republicans Indorse Wallace.

In the Thirty-third ward the Republicans have indorsed Thomas Wallace for common council; he will probably be the Democratic nominee. For school director, R. W. Stauffer was nominated. There are three to elect, but the other two places were left for Democrats, who are expected to name Michael Rodgers and Patrick Duddy. John Dunlevy, a Democrat, was indorsed for assessor.

The Citizens party of the Thirty-ninth ward will hold a meeting at the Westlake school house, Monday evening January 15, to suggest and nominate candidates for ward officers. Thomas J. Hawkins, the present select councilman, will be renominated.

TO NOMINATE FOR MAYOR.

City Chairman Louden Campbell Says the Roosevelt Party Will Take Action Tonight.

Louden Campbell, city chairman of the Roosevelt party, announced last night that the executive committee of his organization would hold a meeting tonight to nominate a candidate for mayor.

"We will meet somewhere in Wylie avenue," says Campbell. He said the executive committee consists of Thomas B. Foster of the Twentieth ward, Frank Brown of the Thirteenth ward, and himself. Chairman Campbell resides in the Thirteenth ward.

"We will probably put up council tickets in several wards," said Chairman Campbell. "We have been in conference today with several gentlemen from the East End in the interest of W. A. Magee, Jr. We may hold another conference with them and something may be done this week."

Asked if the Roosevelt party was going to tender a nomination to Mr. Magee, he said:

"I do not know. There has also been some talk of nominating Guthrie for mayor, but this will hardly be done because the Roosevelt party is a Republican organization and Mr. Guthrie is a Democrat."

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port the same to me tomorrow or on Tuesday at my headquarters.

The Vote in the Twenty-Third.

The phenomenally large Republican vote in the Twenty-third ward is contemplated with much interest, and because it exceeded the vote for Roosevelt by about 888 votes, it has been hinted that the primary returns indicate that many Democrats voted at the primaries. The Magee supporters point out, that even if Democrats voted, they were entitled to do so under the rules, so long as they swore to support the nominees of the primaries and to affiliate themselves with the Republican party.

Senator Magee gives an explanation of the increase of the vote in his ward. The registered vote of the ward is about 3,500. At the presidential election 1,500 votes were cast for Roosevelt, 620 for Parker and about 100 were Socialistic and scattering, making a total of 2,320. There is a large population of railroad men in the ward who ordinarily take little interest in the election. At the election last February the railroad and traction men were in politics and came out to vote, so that a total of 2,871 votes were deposited, 551 more votes than cast at the presidential election. Yesterday, Mr. Magee says, the railroad and traction men again turned out to vote at the primaries, with the result that the vote was swelled beyond the presidential vote.

Chairman Leslie's Figures.

"The apportionment of the vote cast at the Saturday primary election will show a majority of from 3,500 to 4,000 for Jenkinson," said City Chairman M. G. Leslie last night. "The returning board meets on Tuesday to canvass the vote and I will not give out any additional figures until it meets. I do not think it wise to do so. Jenkinson's popular majority is about 1,500, which is increased by the apportionment of the presidential vote of 1904, which is the basis upon which the nomination is made."

Chairman Leslie would not go into details to show where Jenkinson had made such large gains in the apportionment and where Magee had made such heavy losses.

The losses which the city chairman had figured out for Magee were probably placed in the Fifth, Ninth, Twenty-third and other wards where, Chairman Leslie says, Democrats voted in large numbers for Magee. The vote for the Republican presidential ticket in the Democratic wards was small in comparison with the vote which Magee received in those wards on Saturday, and it was in the Democratic strongholds that the city chairman was counting on making large gains for Jenkinson in the apportionment.

Tie Vote in Eleventh.

Chairman Leslie made a few changes in the wards, which were carried by the two candidates. "Jenkinson carried 25 wards and Magee 14," said he. "The Forty-first ward, which was formerly Sterrett township, has not been heard from and the vote there may not be counted, as it is doubtful whether it will be a separate ward. The vote in the Eleventh ward is a tie. The other wards decided as follows:

For Jenkinson—First, Second, Third, Fourth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Seventeenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-ninth.

For Magee—Fifth, Ninth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, Thirty-second, Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth, Fortieth.

Alexander M. Jenkinson resisted several attempts to interview him yesterday concerning the primary election on Saturday. There was a desire on the part of his own supporters and politicians generally to know what Mr. Jenkinson thought of his chance of securing the nomination.

"I have received four or five requests to make a statement but I am not talking politics on Sunday," he said. Last evening, however, the following statement credited to Mr. Jenkinson was given out by Attorney H. G. Wasson, who has been acting as Mr. Jenkinson's spokesman:

"I have no comment to make at this time in reference to yesterday's primary beyond saying that the great interest manifested presages a splendid victory for the Republican nominee on the 20th of next month. I believe that an apportionment of the vote cast will show my nomination substantially by 3,000 plurality. As soon as the returning board has determined the exact result I shall be ready to enter upon a vigorous campaign even though I should be mistaken in my conclusions as to the nomination."

A PERILOUS SEA RESCUE

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ready to send the little auxiliary out the inlet.

These men knew they were taking their lives in their hands, but there was no ceremony, no display, and with her foresail and mainsail double reefed, her little naphtha engine puffing, the schooner flashed into the view of the people on the board walk, giving them in this way the first notice of her errand. It took but a moment for the board walk that had been crowded before, to become jammed. It was then that the watch was begun that did not end until the little boat returned.

Shortly after noon a great cheer went up from the board walk, men and women shouted, waving hats and handkerchiefs, the Alberta had crossed this tumbling gulf and her bowsprit passed to the windward of the Cherokee. This was because the peculiar conformation of the brigantine shoals and the direction of the wind caused the sea to strike on the lee of the liner and no small boat could ever have lived in the waves that were running then.

Small Boats Work.

It seemed an age while the Alberta was hidden by the larger boat, the Cherokee, but finally she appeared astern, came about and ran slowly back under a reefed foresail. Thereafter the action was indicated only at intervals. The strongest glasses could not make out that there was some sort of a line passed between the ship and the smack, then came a long wait. Other glasses showed then a small boat dancing between them.

Thereafter it was a procession of small boats at intervals of 15 minutes, some of them riding high on the waves as if favored by the storm, others appearing to travel in the trough of the sea to be swept constantly by the combers, battered and tossed about, but they, too, reached the little schooner. It was just 3 o'clock when the hoisting of the mainsail of the Alberta told the crowd on shore that the work was done.

Danger Came Quick.

When the Cherokee ran its nose into the sand of the treacherous Brigantine shoals on Friday there was no fear for the safety of the vessel or those on board. The sea was comparatively smooth and the steamer was so light on the sand that it was expected the vessel would be floated at the next high tide. During the night a moderate northeast storm set in. The wind rose until it reached a velocity of 32 miles, which churned up the sea and caused breakers to dash against the vessel with such violence that the passengers and crew had to leave the deck.

The life savers deemed it folly to attempt to go to the steamer in the sea that was running, and it was decided to send two men in a launch. This was done, and when it was about to go over the bar at the mouth of the inlet the launch's machinery became disarranged and it drifted about helplessly. Another launch was sent out and brought back the two men and the disabled launch.

Gave Up Hope.

Among those landed was Lieut. H. M. L. Walker, formerly of the United States cruiser Yankee, returning to Washington from Puerta Plata. He said the scenes aboard the steamer were heartrending. All the passengers and some of the crew were filled with fear. The women prayed and the men paced to and fro, believing that the great waves that were washing over the helpless vessel would tear her to pieces. All of Saturday night and Sunday morning the passengers and crew were huddled about a fire in the galley.

The terrific pounding the vessel had received from the waves had caused the vessel to strain and leak badly. Early Saturday night 10 feet of water was in the steamer and all fires were out with the exception of the one in the galley. Many of those on board gave up hope and awaited the worst.

The names of the other rescued passengers are Joseph Schwartz, Albert N. Pierson, Louis A. Train, Walter W. Handley, American consul at Puerta Plata, all of New York; Edward Lapodde, Elias Kmaris, Filipa Amaris, Jose Amaris and Anna Amaris, all of Santo Domingo.

RIOT AT A CHRISTENING.

Five Guests Are Beaten Up With Beer Bottles During Progress of the Festivities.

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Monday, January 15, 1906.

A bond issue of $1,000,000 is proposed to dispose of certain accumulated judgments against the city. There is probably no better way to meet these obligations, but the proposal puts the finishing touches to the claims of this administration to economy, and of Controller Larkin to reduction of deficiencies and the like. The device of meeting these things by bond issues is not new and the pretense to economy where there is none is as old as the art of political buncombe.

Senator Dryden has prepared a new bill for national regulation of interstate insurance, a modification and improvement of his bill of last session. It creates a bureau of insurance under the direction of a comptroller and its most salient feature is complete publicity of insurance affairs. Senator Dryden believes his bill is constitutional and is confident it will prevent the practices so sensationally disclosed during the past year. Publicity is certainly a cogent restraint upon wrong-doing.

In a communication sent forward by Secretary Taft to Senator Gallinger, chairman of the committee on military affairs, is a forcible presentation of the inadequacy of army transport, in the event of an emergency. During profound peace these matters are apt to get too little attention. In time of war, when the transport service collapses, they get too much attention. Japanese success in Manchuria was achieved no less by the excellence of the transport than by the prodigious valor of the troops. It is a lesson well worth learning.

The general assembly will organize in special session today and the eyes of the commonwealth are turned to the capital. Gov. Pennypacker will communicate to the legislators the necessity for the legislation they have been called to enact and it may be hoped the reasons set forth will duly impress them. The time is one for the sinking of personal preferences and prejudices for the common good. The measures named in the calls of the governor are all urgent. The bills may not suit every member in detail, but they should be passed and The Gazette believes they will be.

Some over-sensitive people in Kentucky will present a bill to the legislature of that state which has for its object the suppression of the play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in the Blue Grass commonwealth. Of late years the play has undergone such mutilation, with a redundancy of "Topsy" and "Marks, the Lawyer" and other sacrilegious interpolations that it is not far removed from the variety show class. On this account, perhaps, the less sensitive people of the north would agree to its effacement from the boards of the theaters. The simon-pure article was, and would be today a homely classic were the original text and spirit of the play followed out faithfully.

Exports of steel products from American ports during December exceeded all previous records. The foreign business of our steel mills is keeping pace, in a way, with the increase in domestic consumption. No better evidence is needed that American practice, combined with tremendous crude resources, has attained to world supremacy in steel manufactures. The Germans are ahead in some matters of economy, mainly the utilization of by-products, but the American advantages are more far-reaching. Moreover, American manufacturers have in reserve the very economies that enable Germany to maintain a precarious foothold in the world's markets.

It seems enough sentiment has been aroused to impress upon congress the necessity for removing the wreck of the battleship Maine from Havana harbor, where it has remained since that fateful day in February, eight years ago, when the vessel was blown up. It is quite appropriate the initiative in this matter is being taken by Senator Frye, who is from the state that give its name to the ship. It was only aroused public sentiment that prevented the hulk from falling into the hands of speculators, who intended to use the remnants for exhibition purposes. Now another sentiment is moving to give the vessel an honorable grave in the deep ocean. As it now lies it is a monument to the indifference of this government besides a menace to navigation.

Things Made Certain.

It will require the official computation to settle the contest for the Republican nomination for mayor. Several things have been fully demonstrated. First is the intense public interest aroused by this battle within the party. It is indicative of the return to Republicanism of all the disaffected elements, the result of reform of the party rules and the regeneration of party spirit incident to popular participation in the making of tickets. Second is the fact that the election of a Republican mayor depends only on casting the ballots for the nominee of all who voted for the two candidates on Saturday.

Under the present rules all Republicans have an equal voice in determining party affairs, all allegations to the contrary, notwithstanding. This fact was demonstrated in the county primaries last summer. The contest for county offices was hotly waged and the contest was so close in some cases as to require the official count to decide. The struggle of Saturday was no less spirited, and, no matter what charges are made, it is apparent the qualified voters had the power to decide and have done so. This one fact is more potent for good government than all of the hybrid political movements ever conceived. It is assurance the people can secure from the dominant party the measures of government they desire, uncomplicated by resort to dangerous alliances.

Under these circumstances there is no good reason why all friends of good government should not support the Republican ticket in this campaign. Responsibility will rest upon the party as well as upon its candidate.

Balfour's Defeat.

There is now a prospect the Liberal party in Great Britain may obtain a majority that will make it independent of the Irish party. This possibility is indicated by the decisive defeat of former Prime Minister Balfour in the east district of Manchester. The majority for G. Horridge, Liberal, is reported at 1,980. This is very significant, for when the former Unionist leader loses to a man practically unknown by such overwhelming figures, the less prominent Unionists are not likely to fare as well.

Up to the beginning of the elections all of the prophets foresaw serious trouble for the Liberal leaders. In nearly all of the London reviews appeared articles by well known publicists predicting a narrow majority for the Liberals in the house of commons and the holding of the balance of power by the Irish Nationalists. These writers pointed out that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman would find his hands tied and suggested he would have to cater to the extreme demands of the Nationalists to obtain their support for other measures. They were possibly right, but the present indications are for a much larger Liberal strength than any of the seers have admitted.

It is not probable the voting will alter the Liberal program materially. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman began the campaign with a comprehensive statement of his party's policies, including practically the Gladstone proposition for Irish home rule. He can afford the better to carry out that policy if he shall find himself supported by an independent Liberal majority. He will then have a free hand in carrying out his fiscal, colonial and foreign theories. First of these is the traditional English doctrine of free trade. There will be no pandering to the colonies through preferential duties. In South Africa the mine owners' supremacy will cease, this policy being clearly indicated by the orders against the further importation of Chinese coolies and for the creation of parliamentary assemblies in Orange Free State and the Transvaal, as had been promised to the Boers.

Sir Henry's policy toward India is less clearly defined. In as far as it has been developed it does not promise approval of the elevation of the military over the civil authority. Whether the Liberal disapproval will be aggressive, or merely passive, remains to be seen. The new cabinet is strong enough to develop positive policies, but most of its members are conservatively disposed.

Raising the Standards.

While there are a number of manual training schools and a goodly list of technical institutions in this country they are generally designed for the instruction of the youth, or the raw material, the purpose being to equip the beginner of life's struggle with a trade, to educate his hands for useful and gainful employment as well as training his brain for a fight for existence. In Germany, however, they have provided many schools for the more perfect training of the artisan and mechanic. This has been done as a matter of self-preservation, for in this highly competitive age the industrial conditions that prevail in Germany have forced that country to make a science of economic production. It is remarked by a consular officer on this subject that in some countries whose trade is growing there is a tendency to reduce prices and develop competitive power by increasing the use of labor-saving machinery, and by resorting in each factory to the production of a single article, or of a very small number of different articles in immense quantities. The adoption of such a plan in as densely populated a country as Germany, it is pointed out, would be suicidal, for such a country must provide for the constant employment of its laborers, or it would see its power rapidly decline, owing to the enforced emigration of its skilled workers upon whom the prosperity of the nation in great measure depends.

From the German point of view the present struggle for commercial supremacy is a contest of brains against brawn, and to maintain the position it now occupies in the markets of the world the standards of efficiency in every trade and every branch of commerce must be raised. With this end in view numerous schools have been established, not only for training apprentices and converting every laborer into a skilled workman, but for the instruction of the artisan and master workman on the ground that there is always something more to be learned. "Wandering schools" have been instituted offering practical evening courses relating to different trades for men who have worked throughout the day in factories or in their own shops. All of these things show how determined Germany is to fight for her industrial existence, and that she will not be satisfied to merely hold her own.

The basic idea in this scheme is being recognized more and more in the United States, where greater proficiency in the various trades and callings is being demanded. This is evidenced in a novel line that has been undertaken by the school authorities of Boston, who have opened classes in one of the schools for department store clerks. Free lectures in salesmanship are given, and the work has been indorsed by the leading merchants in that city. That is quite natural, for the more efficient the clerk the better it will be for the proprietor. Incidentally the patron will be a gainer by a more intelligent service on the part of the salesman.

Congressional Insurgents.

Congress will reach the first test of strength between the administration forces and the opposing elements this week. The opposition is composed of elements having nothing in common except antagonism to the Roosevelt influence. It comprises the opponents to the Philippines tariff, the joint statehood of Arizona and New Mexico and last, but not least, railroad rate legislation. There is a strong suspicion the coalition of "insurgents" has been engineered by the railroad interests with the ultimate object of defeating the rate bills.

It is natural enough the sugar and tobacco men should be found opposing reduction of the tariff on Philippine products. Not that reduction in these tariffs will injure the sugar and tobacco producers of this country, for Mr. Dalzell has quite conclusively shown there is no such danger, but because it will deprive them of some advantages of argument for future use. To the support of the representatives of these special interests has been rallied a variety of high and low tariff advocates, who agree with no views not their own. By a log-rolling process, the opposition to joint statehood for Arizona and New Mexico has agreed to oppose the tariff bill in return for votes against the statehood bill. The contest has become interesting. Speaker Cannon and the Republican leaders are handling the administration end of the fight and they are not lightly to be disposed of.

A feature of the situation is the weakness of the several cases now combined in the opposition. The Philippine tariff bill is a measure of common justice to the Filipinos without sinister consequences to any people in this country. The objection to joint statehood for Arizona and New Mexico is based on the fact that the latter territory has the larger population and the assumed fear of "greaser domination." As a matter of fact the claim to statehood rests on the expectation of future development and increase of population. This increase will necessarily be drawn principally from the older states and will extinguish the preponderance of "greasers" in New Mexico. The "greaser peril" is imaginary. The argument of differing interests in the two territories favors, rather than opposes, their union. States should have diversity of resources and interests. There is no good reason why these territories should not be united to form one state.

When the Philadelphia North American says the governor has seen a new light on personal registration, it wilfully overlooks the governor's recommendation to the legislature a year ago.

German hotels are full of Russian princes, barons and others, who have deemed the fatherland safer. It's an ill wind that blows nobody good.

Nearly all of the Democratic suggestion meetings named committees to make nominations. No open primaries in theirs.

Our 13-mill government, including Controller Larkin, feels the necessity for another bond issue to pay the bills.

Since Poultney Bigelow came in contact with the Taft buzz saw he doesn't look so pretty, but he may be wiser.

When a reformer thinks the other fellow has a better platform, he says platforms are of no consequence.

Representative Longworth did not fall in love with the Filipinos. His affections were too busy elsewhere.

Health Commissioner Dixon says smallpox is expensive. This is not a new discovery here or abroad.

Henry H. Rogers may hear something to his advantage from the New York supreme court today.

Mr. Kirschler's doubts were resolved without delay, having the advantage of no opposition.

Now the duty of the hour is to forget differences and turn in solidly for the nominee.

Ohio wants no insurance investigation. It is of opinion enough is as good as a feast.

Prime Minister Balfour went down as effectively as if he had opinions of his own.

Free trade continues strong in England and in the Democracy at home.

Enough votes were polled in the primaries Saturday to elect a mayor.

Here is where Gov. Pennypacker and the legislature come together.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS ON WAYS OF WORLD

Have You Ever Lost a Day, and Couldn't Find It Again?

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Have you ever lost a day out of your calendar—lost it so smack and smooth that you couldn't tell how it happened, or when, or where?

It makes one feel sort o' funny like and queer to discover that one whole day has dropped out of the week. Nor does the feeling leave immediately after discovering the loss.

"Bughouse" is not the word, although some thoughtless and unfeeling jokers may suggest it.

It is a lapsus of some sort and is liable, if not likely, to happen to anyone sometime. Were it more common it would not be so startling and annoying.

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Some years ago a good and very strict Seceder over in Ohio had a stroke of this kind which he said most undone him.

One Sabbath morning he hustled out to the barn, fed and geared his horses, and then tackled the woodpile to prepare Sabbath wood, for he would sooner freeze than chop wood on that day.

His good wife almost had a fit when she heard the ringing blows of the ax, and, rushing to the door, was "dumbfoundered," as she said, to see Hiram making the chips fly.

"Do' now what day it is, Hiram?" she asked, her voice all trembling, for she thought he might have a fit of some sort or gone clean, stark mad.

"Course I do," Hiram answered.

"It is Sabbath day," she mildly suggested.

And then they went over the past week day by day and Hiram saw where he was wrong.

He had simply lost a day, but he tried to make up for it by going to church early and staying for both long sermons.

This unholy sort of lapsus annoyed Hiram more or less, for it seemed to make him out the chiefest sinner in the membership of Walnut Ridge congregation. But he was destined to feel better later on.

The following winter a fellow-member of this congregation, and a deacon, with prospects of an eldership, hitched up to his sled one Sabbath morning, loaded it with a freshly butchered hog, a coop of chickens and a basket of eggs, and, accompanied by his wife, drove to town to trade his farm products for groceries, drygoods and some wet, maybe.

Nearing town, they heard a bell ringing which they took to be a fire alarm, and they drove straight for the church, only to meet worshipers assembling decently and orderly.

"Well, seeing as how we are here, we may as well stay for services," and with that they "klvered up their truck" and went in.

When the truth came out Hiram was greatly relieved, and the deacon who lost a day eventually found an eldership.

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Dear Mr. Quiet Observer:—I have been an appreciative and consistent reader of your writings as they have appeared in The Gazette, and I have found many beautiful thoughts therein expressed. And I have experienced much pleasure in reading the many little poetic gems that you have quoted. At the head of a recent article written by you I noticed the following exquisite little verse, viz.:

"My hand is lonely for your clasping, dear,
My ear is tired, waiting for your call;
I want your strength to help, your smile to cheer;
Heart, soul and senses, need you, one and all.
I droop without your full, frank sympathy,
We ought to be together, you and I.
We want each other so to comprehend
The dream, the hope, thing planned or seen or wrought,
Companion, comforter and guide and friend,
As much as love asks love, does thought need thought;
Life is so short, so fast the love hours fly,
We ought to be together, you and I."

The refrain, "We ought to be together, you and I," pursued me with a peculiar persistency until the result was that I evolved the inclosed verses.

WE OUGHT TO BE TOGETHER.

We ought to be together, you and I.
We ought to pluck the roses of Life's June;
We ought to breathe their fragrance while we may;
The loving days are over all too soon.

We ought to be together, you and I
We ought to look into each other's tender eyes,
That mirror back to each the loving light
That in their lucid depths so softly lies.

We ought to be together, you and I.
We ought to be together, I repeat.
We ought to heed the promptings of our hearts;
We ought not to tread Life's flowers 'neath our feet.

We ought to be together, you and I.
We ought not miss a single gleam of light
That softly o'er our pathway may be shed;
There are so many clouds that dim our sight.

We ought to be together, you and I.
And adown the paths of peace together go;
Hand clasping hand, and loving eyes alert,
And senses all attuned to love's sweet music low.

We ought to be together, you and I.
Oh, what a world of meaning in the thought;
Twin destinies together joined to tread
The ways through which Life's mysteries are wrought.

We ought to be together, you and I.
We ought to be together ne'er to part;
Through all the future of our lives to be
Together, you and I, dear loving heart.

We ought to be together, you and I.
All too swiftly the joyous seasons fly;
We ought to know the gladness of today;
We ought to be together, you and I.

—E. L. MacKiernan.

Their Sorrow Only Meanness.

A New York woman is aggrieved because the court won't send her ex-husband to jail for not paying alimony. She lives in luxury on property the man gave her, and he is penniless. Sometimes people think they have a sorrow when meanness is the only trouble.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Beats Fiction.

Stevenson's "fifteen men on a dead man's chest" may have been pirates, but if they were living in the borough of Queens, where three foremen drew pay to boss one scrubwoman, they would hide their diminished heads.—New York Herald.

RECOGNITION.

The cries of the heart are many.
The answering voices few.
Darkness articulate whispered—
Fainting already?
Steady, dear, steady!
I understand."
Bewildered and blinded and groping,
I ventured a hand—
And lo, it was you.

The dreams of the soul are mighty,
And sometimes they come true.
I dreamed of a faith uninvented,
Nobly attended,
High-born and splendid;
Precious the prize!
Lost in a planet deserted,
I lifted my eyes—
And oh, it was you!

— ELIZABETH STUART PHELPS.

PROVES EFFICACY OF THE FRESH AIR

The Rev. Dr. Clendenin Is Curing Himself of Consumption After Being Given Up.

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The latest proof of the efficiency of fresh air and right living in cases of pulmonary troubles is furnished by the Rev. Dr. Clendenin, son-in-law of the late Horace Greeley. Dr. Clendenin only a few months ago was told that nothing short of a miracle could prevent his death from consumption. He was haggard and pale, and every bit of exertion left him weak and breathless. He was told that fresh air, plenty of exercise of the right sort and proper food would prolong his life, but he was not told that there was a possibility that he might be cured.

That was only six months ago. Today Dr. Clendenin is a new man, not cured, but well on the way to recovery, and fully assured that perfect health is only a question of a few more months of the same "medicine" that has started him on the road to health. He went to the old homestead of Horace Greeley, where he could live just the sort of life that was demanded of him. A cot placed on a ledge on the third story serves as a place to sleep, with awnings arranged to be used as a covering in case of storm. For six months he has occupied this "outdoor bedroom." He has only used the awnings when the weather was stormy. On other nights he has only the sky above him.

All Day in the Open.

Every possible moment of the day is spent out of doors by Dr. Clendenin. He takes long walks over the hills and through the fields of that beautiful country by which the old homestead is surrounded. It has become irksome for him to spend even a short while indoors, and he is never so happy as when tramping through snow or mud. To get back to nature has been his cure, and he loves it. This is the sort of a cure that anyone can have, no matter how poor, and physicians now seldom advise patients to go to the mountains. It is easier to get the fresh air at one's home—and less expensive. All it requires is the patience to stick to the "cure" after it is started. And one must not allow cold and storm to take one's nerve away.

Free Lectures Are Popular.

That the various free lecture courses furnished by the board of education of the city of New York are worth while and deservedly popular is shown by the report issued this week. During the last three months of 1905 a total of 475,000 persons attended these lectures, an increase in attendance over the same period of 1904 of 11,000. The greatest attendance was, of course, in Manhattan, but Brooklyn had the largest proportionate increase. Thirty-seven courses of from six to 10 lectures each are now in operation, and six more courses will be opened during the coming week. The lecture courses have proven one of the chief adjuncts of the public school system of the city.

Uncle Sam Pays the Bill.

One of Uncle Sam's soldiers, Sergt. Charles O. Hastings, has tried the experiment of living on 40 cents a day in New York—and failed. Now he has 75 cents on which to keep his interior department in good fighting trim. Forty cents is the average cost of Uncle Sam for the maintenance of his soldiers. But the most of them are in barracks, and the cost is thus minimized by the wholesale way of feeding them. But our sergeant is stationed in the army building in Whitehall street, and has no mess. Officially he was supposed to do very well with the 40 cents provided for him, but unofficially he spent his monthly salary. Therefore, he entered a protest—mild as befits a true soldier—and he at last convinced Gen. Grant that "sinkers" three times a day do not make good fighters. Therefore, the 35 cents were added to his allowance.

Great Times at Auto Shows.

For the first time in the history of automobiling there are this year two shows held in New York at the same time. This rivalry is caused by the members of the American automobile manufacturers, who are licensed under the Selden patents and who secured Madison Square garden to give their exhibition, while the Automobile Club of America gives its sixth annual show at the Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory building, and is open to all manufacturers. In spite of this dual attraction, however, on opposite sides of the street, so to speak, both exhibitions opened under the most brilliant auspices, which is the best evidence of the interest the public takes in automobilism. As far as the exhibits at both places are concerned, there is very little to choose between them. In both shows the lover of the automobile will find enough to satisfy his utmost desire in the latest productions of this most modern vehicle. There were a great many Pittsburghers at both places, among the earliest visitors being Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse, who had come to the show at the armory to view the Westinghouse automobile, a product of the French Westinghouse Company of Havre, France.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

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Mrs. Brainard,
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Mrs. Darley,
G. P. Early,
H. A. Marlin,
R. D. Marlin,
E. W. Heyl,
Mrs. Heyl,
J. Brady,
Mrs. Brady,
W. H. McKinley.

Imperial.
E. L. White,
Mrs. J. Heal,
C. W. Cochrane,
W. H. Simmonds,
Mrs. Simmonds,
D. M. Miller,
J. H. Shaffer,
R. C. Succop,
C. C. Brownson,
S. H. Anderson,
F. A. Estep,
J. Heal,
F. T. Murphy,
C. B. Humphrey.

Victoria.
W. H. Richwine,
F. D. Saupp,
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J. M. Bald.

Holland.
A. C. Spinder,
E. M. Byers,
W. B. Scalfe,
S. N. Riter,
A. M. Neeper,
L. A. Osborne,
A. F. Fulton.

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J. A. Lockwood,
S. Cerf,
C. E. Lappe,
C. W. Carter.

Broadway Central.
J. W. Rogers,
J. Kaufman,
P. Fotium.

St. Denis.
C. K. Williams,
J. W. Russell.

Union Square.
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Gilsey.
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Mrs. Moore.

Normandie.
J. E. Baker,
Mrs. Baker.

Navarre.
T. H. Miller,
J. C. Chapman,
Mrs. Chapman,
W. L. Hughes,
E. H. Williams,
Mrs. Williams.

York.
V. F. Porter.

Marlborough.
B. Glockler.

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H. Emmet,
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Manhattan.
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C. W. Davis.

Grand.
A. A. McTighe.

Prince George.
H. J. Long.

Ashland.
J. F. Williams.

City Officials to Blame.

No one is to blame for the killing of Erie citizens, as well as the blocking of crossings, to the great inconvenience of business traffic, except the city officials of Erie. The prevention is all up to them. The trouble is they do not size up to the situation.—Erie Times.

HOW THE LONG PURSE WINS IN ENGLAND

The Campaign Fund in Elections Counts for as Much as It Does in United States.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LONDON, Jan. 7.—It is estimated that the British general election will cost officially something like $9,000,000. Really it will represent an expenditure of at least thrice that sum. One authority who has had great experience of political fights behind the scenes places it at $20,000,000. From this it will be inferred that the admission fee to "the finest club in the world," as the house of commons has been called, amounts to a stiffish sum, and other things being equal the man with the longest purse stands the best chance of getting in. The "bar'l" counts here for quite as much as it does in America.

Irish elections are run on a cheaper scale of legitimate expenditure which must be exceedingly welcome to the candidates who are seldom men of means. In boroughs where the number of electors does not exceed 500 a man may get into parliament for $1,600. Where the number runs up to 1,000 he must not spend more than $1,375. In counties of 2,000 electors his expenditures are limited to $2,500. All parliamentary candidates have to file sworn statements of what they have expended in the fight. In the general election of 1892 the official returns showed an average outlay by each candidate of $5,500 in the case of a county and about $3,000 in the case of a borough constituency.

While placing strict limits on the amounts that candidates may expend on elections the corrupt practices act is equally stringent in confining that expenditure within legitimate channels. Treating in all forms is barred. Six cents was held to be too small a sum to charge for refreshments at a conversation given by one candidate. Music to soothe the savage elector is illegal if provided at the candidate's expense, but there are no restrictions on gratuitious singing and playing. Two Irish judges have declared that "a minister of religion must not hold out hopes of reward here or hereafter," as an inducement to vote for any particular candidate. Candidates are prohibited from hiring vehicles of any sort to convey voters to the polls, but they are at perfect liberty to place their own motor cars, carriages and horses, or those of their friends at the disposal of their constituents for the purpose. This interpretation of the law confers a considerable advantage on aspirants for parliamentary honors who are well off. For whereas rich candidates and their friends can place any number of their private carriages and automobiles at the disposal of electors of their party, many of whom greatly relish the privilege of riding for once in a gorgeous equipage, poor candidates are debarred from hiring public conveyance to convey voters to the polls.

Candidates Responsible for Agents.

Candidates are held responsible for all the acts of their agents. Jesse Collings was once unseated after being returned as member of Ipswich merely because one of his agents had promised to pay the sum of 3s 6d—about 80 cents—for defraying the cost of the railroad ticket to Ipswich of a single voter who was temporarily absent from the polls. The agent did not redeem the promise, for he discovered that he had done wrong in making the offer, but nevertheless the supreme court judge before whom the case was brought deemed the circumstance sufficiently heinous to deprive Mr. Collings of his seat, although the vote in question would have made no difference in the result. Penalties are severe enough to make the most hardened candidates careful. Briber and bribed alike may be punished by 12 months' imprisonment, with or without hard labor, or a fine of $1,000. And the candidate may lose his seat if elected and be forever disqualified from representing the constituency.

The corrupt practices act, and the measures adopted for its enforcement are often referred to as proof that politics in England is righteousness undefiled compared with the degraded business that goes by the same name in America. But it is only after the writs are out and the election battle technically begins that the rules of party warfare, according to the corrupt practices act, apply. There is no law against what is here called "nursing a constituency" before an election. As a prospective candidate merely the man of wealth can spend money freely in paving the way to victory. It isn't considered bribery and corruption then; it is open-handed generosity and laudable public spirit. Many a would-be statesman spends thousands in making himself solid with the voters. That process costs him vastly more than the law permits him to spend on the election itself. How it is done is well indicated in the following report of a speech made by a prospective Conservative candidate in Wales which I have extracted from the Western Mail.

Personally he knew, although he had only been a resident in their midst about two years, a good deal about the social side of the town. He was a member of 38 football clubs, 12 cricket clubs, four or five homing pigeon societies, bicycle clubs, hockey clubs, golf clubs and various race meetings, not to speak of agricultural societies, rifle clubs, horticultural societies and chrysanthemum societies. He was also an Odd Fellow, a Forester, a Druid, a Buffalo, a Free Forester, a member of the Twentieth Century Benefit Equitable society, and last, but not least, the Cabmen's Sick Benefit society. He was afraid that the people of Newport did not look upon him much in the light of a politician, but as a sort of pocket Hercules.

"Pocket Hercules."

Obviously the phrase "a pocket Hercules" is not intended to mean a Hercules of small size, but a Hercules of the pocket—that is to say, a man whose strength or influence is chiefly that of the pocket. But the speech shows the superiority of British methods compared with those of Tammany for instance. Voters are not bought. The "pocket Hercules" advocates what he regards as the right and patriotic cause, and as for bribery or anything of that sort he would scorn the action. But happening to take a manly interest in football, cricket, pigeons, bicycling, hockey, golf, racing, farming, shooting, gardening, crysanthemums and friendly societies he becomes a member and patron of various clubs devoted to these causes. And being a candid man he mentions this fact at a dinner when his remarks are reported in a paper which supports his political views. In this way it is shown how much better is the typical British politician than those degraded American fellows who openly buy votes.

In many constituencies—I think I should be within the mark in saying a majority—the determining factor in the election of a candidate is the amount of money which he is likely to expend on the district. It is this which put so many young lordlings, fresh from the universities and totally ignorant of politics, into the house of commons. The same consideration wins a seat for 'Squire Longjaw and makes Bung the brewer an M. P.

Despite all that is said of the "terrible corruption of American politics" the campaign fund plays quite as important a part in English elections as it does in America. But it is obtained in a different fashion. For the principal subscribers are not rich corporations who seek legislative protection, or office holders, prospective or actual, but rich men who are anxious either for seats in parliament or titular distinctions. A large number of peerages, baronetcies and knighthoods have been conferred since the corrupt practices act was passed, which are admittedly merely party rewards for liberal contributions to the electoral campaign fund.

Ratio and Division.

It is noted that we have $30 in currency for each individual, but it is not noted that each individual has his $30.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

STORIES FOUND IN THE LOBBIES

Interesting Happenings Concerning the People Who Are Traveling.

Volney T. Malott, one of the best known bankers and capitalists of Indianapolis, is at the Duquesne. Mr. Malott stated last evening his trip to Pittsburgh was simply on business of a personal nature and had nothing to do with the Vandalia railroad, of which he is a director. Mr. Malott is well known to railroad men throughout the United States, as he was receiver of the Vandalia for over eight years, and it was through his management the system was put upon a paying basis.

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Live Stock Breeders Coming.

"We expect to have the largest convention of dairymen and stockmen ever held in this state," said Secretary E. S. Bayard yesterday in speaking of the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' association and the Pennsylvania Dairy union to be held at the Monongahela house next Wednesday and Thursday. "I have received applications for programs and excursion rates from all quarters of Pennsylvania, besides a number from Ohio and West Virginia. These outsiders are attracted by the excellence of the program and will be made welcome, as will city people who are interested in stock-breeding, dairying or agriculture."

The program includes ex-Gov. Hoard, the leading dairy authority of the United States, and one of the wittiest and most forceful speakers on the platform. The United States department of agriculture will be represented by C. B. Lane, assistant chief of the dairy division. Secretary of Agriculture Critchfield will also be present. Prof. J. L. Hills of Vermont, Prof. H. E. Van Norman of the Pennsylvania Dairy School and E. M. Bailey of this city are also speakers on dairy topics. Alfalfa culture, which is attracting so much attention in the east, will be discussed by Joseph E. Wing, the pioneer in that business in Ohio. The Hon. John P. Ray, who bred the World's fair winners, will discuss sheep; Prof. Carl W. Gay of Ohio State university, horses, and the Hon. B. O. Cowan of the American Shorthorn Breeders' association, cattle. The fight for a state fair in Pennsylvania will be continued, and both associations are expected to adopt strong resolutions on reciprocity. Stockmen fear that they will lose the great German market for their products unless something is done soon.

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Miners Leave for Convention.

Over 150 miners occupied a special train which left last night for the Indianapolis convention over the Wabash railroad. Patrick Dolan, the district president, did not accompany the delegation last evening, as he is ill, but will probably leave today. A number of the leading miners said last evening the wage scale would certainly be settled at this convention, and the new wage committee would consist of the district presidents throughout the United States.

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Business Men Go to Washington.

Committees representing the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce, the Coal and Iron exchange, the Merchants and Manufacturers' association and the Pittsburgh board of trade left last evening for Washington, D. C., to attend the waterways convention, which will open today. The business men will strongly advocate a nine-foot stage to Cairo.

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Increase Will Not Be Granted.

Harry E. Zelliott, a prominent iron and steel manufacturer of Lebanon, was in the city last evening, but denied he was here to confer with the officials of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers in regard to the 12½ per cent raise which has been demanded by the association. Mr. Zelliott said, however, the request would not be granted by the manufacturers, but intimated a raise of some kind would be given. The manufacturers were notified by the workers on January 1, and the order was to have gone into effect today. If the request is not granted, it is stated, P. J. McArdle, president of the association, will leave for the east this week to confer with eastern officials on the matter.

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Weather Officials in the City.

H. C. Frankenfield, one of the heads of the national weather bureau, registered at the Hotel Henry. Mr. Frankenfield was met at the train by Local Director Frank Ridgway, and today he will inspect the local bureau.

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Leaves After Long Service.

Albert Nicholson, who has been employed by the Pennsylvania for 21 years, resigned yesterday and will take a position with a local gas company. For a number of years Mr. Nicholson has been selling tickets at one of the local windows at the Union station. His fellow employes presented him with a number of handsome and useful articles last evening as a token of the esteem in which he is held by them. The presentation was made by D. H. Boyle.

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Bound for the Auto Show.

A large number of automobile enthusiasts passed through the city last evening on their way to New York to attend the two automobile shows which open today. Among these was W. H. Schmidt, a manufacturer of Cincinnati. Mr. Schmidt is also interested in motor boats, and expects to purchase one or two to place on Burt lake, Mich. A number of Pittsburghers spend their summer at Burt Lake and there promises to be great rivalry for fast boats there during the coming summer. Mr. Schmidt is building a new home there.

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Not Many for Harrisburg.

As a general thing when the legislature opens at Harrisburg special trains are put on by the Pennsylvania to carry the large number of people who want to go there. The crowd is conspicuous this time by its absence, and this is accounted for by the abolition of passes.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Duquesne—P. M. Boggs, West Newton; H. Murray, Cumberland, Md.; B. Rothwell, West Elizabeth.

Henry—John M. Wilson, Franklin; F. A. Husted, Piedmont, W. Va.; C. W. Simmons, Steubenville, O.; R. L. Sommerville, Farmington, W. Va.; T. R. Weymouth, Oil City; M. H. Flower, H. P. Camden and L. R. Shofer, Parkersburg, W. Va.; R. R. Voris, Bloomsburg.

Newell—S. R. Hite, Fairmont, W. Va.

Antler—W. J. Levenson, Washington; George B. Devereaux, Greensburg.

Anderson—J. S. Wilkinson, Philadelphia; H. G. Goldberg, Cleveland.

Colonial—Ed Keller, Erie; George Frank, Erie; C. D. Poder, Arcola; S. Jenkins, Lansdale; C. L. Bomont, Beaver; D. H. Gildea, Altoona; M. C. Schmidt, Hollidaysburg.

Fort Pitt—Harvey Evans, Philadelphia; Charles Hart, Youngstown; W. E. Riepen, Coatesville; M. W. Hissey, Zanesville, O.; J. H. Wallace, Washington; P. H. Erald, Wheeling, W. Va.; H. A. French, Cambridge, O.; W. F. Arms, Punxsutawney.

Lincoln—H. Goldberry, Waynesburg, Pa.

Monongahela—H. M. Armstrong, Johnstown; W. D. Crawford, Steubenville; D. E. Herrick, Huntington; J. W. Ross, Dubois.

St. Charles—Frank T. Brown, Wheeling; Thomas Harman, Butler; C. F. Sullivan, Dayton; J. M. Johnson, Wheeling.

Griswold—C. M. Coy, Latrobe; George Ottenberg, Oil City; W. Duncan, Brownsville.

Boyer—John Potts, Natrona; Dr. J. B. Miller, Sligo; P. J. Kane, Warren, O.; J. R. Bell, Erie; Charles R. Macklin, East Liverpool.

QUAINT QUIPS.

"Ha! You refuse me, then, proud beauty? Well I know your reasons. Were I rich, you would be but too glad to accept me!"

"Mayhap it is even so, Rupert Fitzgoobler. But by my troth you would have to be a whole lot richer than anybody else in the world, I'll tell you that!"—Cleveland Leader.

"Do you think that these people will be received in fashionable society?"

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "I think they will go even further than that, and be received in polite society."—Washington Star.

Mrs. Buggins—Now, John, I want you to promise to go to church with me next Sunday.

Mr. Buggins—Why are you always coaxing me to go to church with you?

Mrs. Buggins—I don't coax you to go to the theater with me.—Philadelphia Record.

Mrs. Sharpley—Next time you call I want you to give your opinion of my new dog.

Mr. Bore—Delighted, I'm sure. When do you expect it?

Mrs. Sharpley—Oh, not for three months at least.

BATTLE OF BARRICADES AFTER SAILOR'S ARREST

Police and Civilians Exchange Shots—Hazelwood Dwelling Is Carried by Storm—Officers Capture Four Very Sound Sleepers.

After a battle in which shots were freely exchanged and barricades destroyed, Thomas, Peter and William Gordon, brothers, and Edward Connelly, were arrested at 16 Herbert alley early yesterday. The trouble arose over the arrest Saturday night by Policeman George Sherer of J. J. Gordon, another brother, on suspicion of being a deserter from the navy.

Shortly after midnight, as Sherer and Policeman Peter McKinty were making their rounds, they heard a noise in the alley. As they went in to investigate Thomas Gordon is said to have fired five shots at Sherer. Sherer fired back and Gordon ran into his house through a back door. One of the shots fired by Sherer went through a panel of the door. The noise of the shooting brought Special Officer Patrick Golden to the scene. The three officers found the doorway barricaded. Golden kicked in the door and the officers rushed into the house. When they got up stairs they found the doors leading into the bedrooms also barricaded. A sister of the Gordons said her brothers were sleeping. Golden made her open the door, and when the policemen entered they found Thomas Gordon, Peter Gordon, William Gordon and Edward Connelly pretending to be asleep.

Golden picked up a pair of shoes belonging to Thomas Gordon and found them wet. He then accused him of having been the man who shot at Sherer, but all the men, however, denied having done the shooting. The four men were placed under arrest and a search made for the revolver, which was found in the grate in the bedroom of the Gordons' sister, and the cartridges in the grate in the bedroom of the Gordons.

The four men were arrested and yesterday morning Magistrate Negley fined each $10 and costs with the alternative of 30 days to the workhouse. J. J. Gordon was committed to jail to await advices from the naval authorities at Washington.

DEPARTMENT FOR LIFE INSURANCE

Senator Dryden's Bill, to Be Introduced Today, Provides for Regulation.

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[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Senator Dryden has revised his bill contemplating government control of insurance, and will reintroduce it in the senate tomorrow. He has followed very closely the investigation being conducted by the New York legislative committee and he expresses the belief that it will correct practically all of the insurance evils exposed by the New York inquiry.

Publicity is the keynote of the bill, and coupled with this are safeguards for the detection of wrongdoing and punishment of offenders. It defines policies or insurance contracts, as instrumentalities of commerce, and provides for the regulation of the business through the medium of a comptroller of insurance and along lines similar to the control exercised over national banks. The author says he believes this will go far toward meeting the objections of those who have questioned the constitutional possibilities of federal regulation of insurance.

The senator says the bill has the indorsement of the President, administration officials, eminent constitutional lawyers in and out of congress, and others. Senator Dryden today said:

"The new bill follows in broad outlines my bill of the last session, but with very important modifications and additions, which I believe meet all reasonable demands for an effective, uniform and economical method of government control. The bill contains some 50 separate provisions, of which the first 13 relate to the organization of the proposed bureau of insurance in the department of commerce and labor. The bureau is to be in charge of a comptroller of insurance, who is required to furnish a bond of $100,000.

"In nearly all essentials the bill, as far as possible, conforms to the organic acts establishing other departments of the federal government, but in particular the national bank act. There is to be a deputy comptroller, who is also to be a bonded officer, and an actuary who is required to be a person of recognized professional ability and experience.

"All fees are required to be paid into the treasury. The comptroller must make an annual report to congress, including the details of all examinations, together with a complete statement of the receipts and disbursements of the bureau.

"The provisions of the act apply to all corporations, associations or partnerships engaged in interstate insurance business, but have no application to fraternal societies carried on for the sole benefit of members. Such associations of societies may voluntarily take advantage of the act.

"The comptroller is required to establish rules and regulations and reasonable fees for conducting the business of insurance, including annual and other reports to be made by companies. The penalty for failure to make or transmit any report or statement of fact required is $100 for each day of delay. The comptroller is also required to have a conservative valuation made of the business of life companies, or determine the reinsurance reserve of other companies, upon approved methods and tables and by such a standard of interest to determine and establish the true financial conditions and attendant liabilities.

"Authority and power to inquire into the details and facts of the management is given the comptroller, and he may have the companies examined by special examiners. He may invoke the aid of any court of the United States to require assistance and testimony of witnesses, and the production of books, papers and documents. It is also provided that companies may be investigated by the comptroller upon the complaint of any state commissioner.

"Corporations engaged in the business of insurance in more than one state, must file a copy of their charter, or other documents of local authority, and annually publish a list of their stockholders or trustees. They are required to make a deposit of $100,000, either with the commissioner of insurance or with the proper official of the state of incorporation or origin.

"Nine provisions relate to crimes and penalties. Unauthorized insurance is defined and a proper penalty provided for."

LOSES WHISKY AND MONEY.

Thief Makes a Good Haul in the Residence of a Clergyman.

The Rev. Coleman Cospick of 2004 Bedford avenue, reported to the police yesterday that while he was absent from home at his church yesterday morning somebody entered his house and stole two quarts of whisky and $26 in money. The glass front door had been broken and the key turned. The intruder had cut his hand as he left bloody imprints on the stair rail and on the dresser.

H. Dorize of 1237 Fifth avenue also reported that a thief entered his room while he was asleep and stole $15 out of his trousers pocket.

PAIR OF SCISSORS ARE USED IN A POLITICAL ARGUMENT.

Romer Luba of 2804 Mary street was arrested early Sunday morning at 2311 Harcums alley. Luba and a companion engaged in a politico-booze argument. The prisoner highly stabbed his companion in the shoulder with a pair of scissors for which convincing logic he paid the city $28 46 at the South Side police hearings yesterday.

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Resorts Frequented by Homestead Politicians and Business Men Are Closed.

Two well-known clubs of Homestead, whose membership comprises leading politicians and business men of the town, were raided yesterday morning at 1:20 o'clock by the Homestead police. Poker games are said to have been in full blast when Lieut. William Cavanaugh, acting under the orders of Police Chief John Lamb, raided the Tacoma and Colonial clubs, occupying apartments in Sixth avenue.

Stacks of money on the table were quickly grabbed by the players. Thirty-two men were arrested, including William Crooks, manager of the Colonial club, and Henry Youngman, manager of the Tacoma. Youngman is an ex-ballplayer. Each of the 25 visitors was fined $1 and costs by Burgess W. S. Ross, and the managers were fined $25 and costs each.

All of the players gave fictitious names at the police station. In the list there were six men by the name of John Jones, a quartet of John Smiths, and Browns without limit. All the fines were promptly paid. The Homestead police, it is said, are determined to keep the resorts closed.

BEIGHLEY HEARS FROM SON.

Also Receives Word That Matthews, His Son's Companion, Is Arrested in Colorado.

VANDERGRIFT, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—"Your son is here. Matthews in jail at Lamar. Got the $300. Answer. City Marshal, Rocky Ford, Col." This telegram was received this morning by S. J. Beighley, whose 13-year-old son, Roy Beighley, disappeared a month ago, after having received $300 from his father to deposit in a bank. A second telegram was received by Mr. Beighley, signed by his son at Rocky Ford, asking permission to remain in the west.

Matthews is older than Beighley and is supposed to have accompanied Beighley. This afternoon Mr. Beighley signified his intention of securing extradition papers for the return of Matthews, if he can get more authentic information from the Colorado authorities.

Weingartner Makes His Debut.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Felix Weingartner, the German conductor, made his New York debut today when he conducted the Sunday afternoon concert of the Philharmonic society orchestra in Carnegie hall. Mr. Weingartner was recalled eight times.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Office of Controller of Allegheny County, Pittsburgh, Pa., January 15, 1906.

NOTICE TO INVESTORS.

WHEREAS, The county commissioners of the county of Allegheny have resolved to issue bonds of the county for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways, etc., said loan to be in the sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the county controller aforesaid, until twelve o'clock noon, Thursday, February 1, 1906, for the purchase of coupon bonds of said county, as aforesaid, to the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars, to be issued in accordance with the act of Assembly approved July 16, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and one, entitled, "An act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties," etc. Said bonds to be of the denomination of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and payable thirty years from the date hereof. Address proposals to county commissioners of Allegheny county, marked "Proposals for Bonds."

A bond with approved security, or certified check to the order of the county commissioners of the county of Allegheny, to the amount of ten thousand ($10,000.00) dollars, must accompany each proposal to guarantee purchase of bonds, if awarded. Any further information respecting the same can be obtained at the office of the county commissioners, Allegheny county, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

F. P. BOOTH,
County Controller.

WEAVER OPPOSES THE NEW BOSSES

Declares He Will Not Stand for Reorganization Scheme of Gordon and Mack.

POTTER WAXES VERY WROTH

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 14.

Mayor Weaver issued a statement tonight in which he plainly intimates that he has discovered that some of those identified with his battle in the last election are trying to build up a new machine and he gives warning to them that he will fight them with all the power at his command.

For a few weeks there have been rumors that ex-Judge Gordon and others associated with him, were carrying on negotiations with certain ward leaders which would result in Gordon's friends securing control of the Republican organization and forming a new machine to succeed that of Durham and McNichol.

It was believed at times that the mayor was a party to this plan because on the eve of the Republican primaries he issued a long statement in which he came out in favor of "reorganization of the city committee," the method by which Gordon and his friends expected to get the organization under their domination.

The mayor's statement indicates he has not known what was going on and that he is so opposed to the Republican city committee, as reorganized, that he is in favor of continuing the City party in existence. His statement says:

The Mayor's Statement.

If any political boss shall presume to dictate to the people of Philadelphia, who have just thrown off the shackles of bossism and demanded civic regeneration, I shall absolutely refuse to recognize him or the principles he represents. I will not only not lend my name to any deal with graft and insincerity, but I will oppose every such scheme with all the power and all the resources of my administration.

What permanent good can come to the city from the proposed reorganization of the city committee, the future must disclose. It is, perhaps, difficult to see how these men, who openly defied the cause of reform and devoted all their energies to overthrowing the will of the people, to honestly work for the best interests of the city.

Mind, I do not say that it would be impossible for reform to come from such sources, but we must judge by what they do and not what they say; but I cannot see how good can be accomplished by the substitution of new bosses for old ones. The people do not want this, and they will not accept it.

It is my firm belief that it will be for the best interests of the city to continue the City party.

The story of the organization of this new combine, which it is understood that Mr. Weaver believes, is this:

Modus Operandi.

John Mack was to be the capital end of it and get the fat end of contracts and Judge Gordon's friends were to have the naming of the officeholders and wield the power of the city organization in state politics. But in order to effect it there were so many "double-cross" deals that the mayor got signal proof of it.

The most striking instance was in the Fifth ward at the Republican primaries. Harbormaster Maloney was working with men who had been allied with the City party movement. At the last moment the police were ordered into the fight to help James Anderson, with whom, it is understood, the Mack-Gordon interests had privately fixed up a deal.

Director of Public Safety Potter declares it was done without his knowledge. He claims that an associate of the Mack-Gordon "reform" element, whose name he knows, tampered with his police. He gave out a lurid interview tonight, in which he threatens to wreak all sorts of vengeance on the offender, and furthermore, he intends to adopt a plan in dealing with the police in the Fifth ward. He says they are a sort of "Black Hand" association, politically, so he is going to take the men and apportion them among the other 33 districts.

BACK TO THE SCENES OF OLD BIBLE DAYS

Living Pictures Recalling Stories of Israel Are Given by Patriotic Jewish Women.

Living pictures of Old Testament scenes and characters—not living pictures as the modern theater has cheapened the phrase—but pictures that possess all the artistic beauty of the masterpieces of great painters were enframed on the stage of the Nixon theater last night. The Biblical tableaux were given by Mrs. May Whitney Emerson of Washington, D. C., under the auspices of the Columbian Council of Jewish women, and depicted 12 scenes of the picturesque life in ancient Israel.

The graceful posing of the subjects, the wealth of costumes, in all cases historically correct, and the brilliant illuminating effects, made the entertainment far above the average of an amateur performance. The characters in the pictures were taken by young people in Pittsburgh, the majority of them being affiliated with Columbian council, and their mute acting possessed that sort of histrionic art which is most difficult to do successfully.

Mrs. Enoch Rauh read a few verses from Scripture as an explanatory introduction for each tableau, and thereafter, with the accompaniment of appropriate music, the lights in the auditorium were extinguished and the tinted glow was gradually thrown on the stage, revealing fields, temples, martial camps or the palm-embowered banks of the Nile. These were the backgrounds, and beautiful women in the flowing robes of Bible times stood under the warm radiance of the mellow light. The most pretentious picture was the Queen of Sheba at the court of Solomon in which 11 characters appeared.

The musical selections given in the intermissions between the tableaux were of the highest class, including the Wunderle trio, Mrs. Margaretha Wunderle, Carl Wunderle and Herman Melzer; Mrs. Charlotte Wagner Zeigler, contralto; Daniel Beddoe, tenor; Miss Rose Rothstein, soprano; Adolph Rosen, violin; Miss Elsa Gundling, soprano, and Mr. Ruhoff, accompanist. Miss Rothstein's singing behind the scenes during the exhibition of the tableaux of Ruth and Naomi was particularly noteworthy, and the singer's enunciation was remarkably distinct, despite the difficult task of being heard from her position in the wings and the frequent interruptions of applause.

The proceeds from the entertainment will revert to the council's charitable fund. The ladies in charge of the performance were Mrs. M. Ruslander, Mrs. Joseph S. Kaufman, Mrs. Izaak Wildberg, Mrs. Enoch Rauh, Mrs. Gustave E. Crone, Mrs. Samuel G. Rosenstock, Mrs. Edward M. Lazarus, Mrs. Henry Jackson, Mrs. Benjamin Hirshfield and Miss Belle Floersheim.

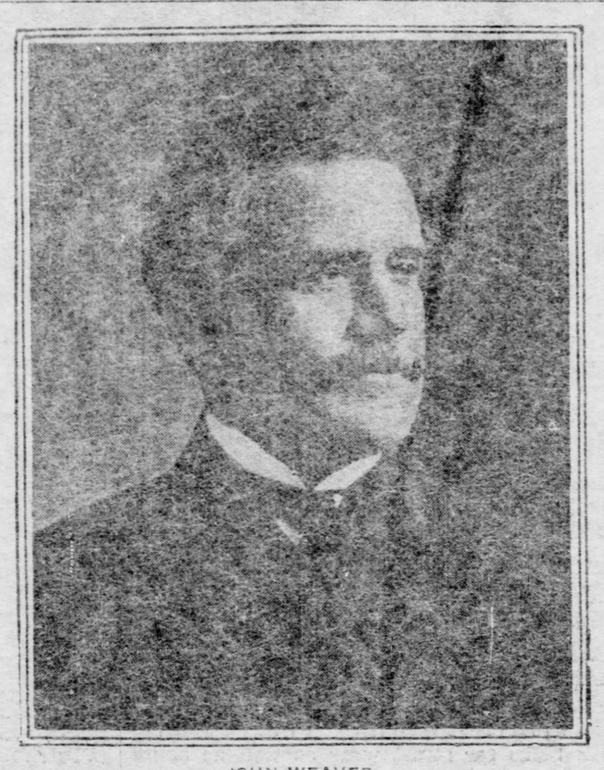
Valuation of Michigan Railroads.

LANSING, MICH., Jan. 14.—Announcement was made tonight of the valuation and tax rate of the railroad property of the state, as fixed by the state tax commission. The property is valued at $207,689,000, an increase of $11,000,000. The tax commission acted under the Galbraith law, which provides for an equalization by the board as between railroad property and other property in the state, instead of taking the tax assessors' valuation. Proceedings are to be instituted to test this law. The average rate of taxation is $14 61 per $1,000 of equalized valuation. The equalized valuation of the property of express companies is $1,487,000 and of car loaning companies $708,300.

Pope Complimenta Americans.

ROME, Jan. 14.—The Right Rev. William H. O'Connell, bishop of Portland, Me., the special envoy of the pope to the emperor of Japan, arrived and was received in private audience by his holiness today. The bishop made a verbal report of his mission. The pope expressed his great satisfaction and said that if all American envoys did their work so well they would become the first diplomats of the world.

IS NOW AFRAID OF HIS "FRIENDS"



JOHN WEAVER.
Mayor of Philadelphia.

TO HEAR NEW BILL FOR GREATER PITTSBURGH

Watson-Guthrie Measure to Be Discussed Today by the Chamber of Commerce.

A special meeting of the directors of the chamber of commerce will be held in its rooms, Wood street and Oliver avenue, this afternoon, to hear and discuss the report of the committee on municipal affairs upon proposed Greater Pittsburgh legislation.

The meeting will be an executive one, and, while none of the officers of the chamber will disclose the nature of the business to be taken under consideration, it is generally believed the newly constructed Guthrie-Watson bill will be taken under consideration for the purpose of presenting it to the special session of the legislature, which convenes today, under the second special call recently issued by the governor.

This bill, which has been prepared by Attorneys D. T. Watson and George W. Guthrie, has not been made public, nor its provisions disclosed. It is said, however, the bill overcomes any possible suspicion of special legislation by providing that contiguous cities, separated by streams or certain prescribed distances of unimproved land, may consolidate. Under the previous Greater Pittsburgh bill as recommended by the chamber of commerce, the question of consolidation was left to the majority on joint vote of the citizens of both municipalities involved.

While a reconstruction of the original bill need not alter this condition to insure its constitutionality, there is a sentiment among certain members of the chamber to recommend to the legislature to annul the two charters granted to Pittsburgh and Allegheny, and instead to issue a new charter covering what now includes the two cities. This action would, of course, leave the matter of consolidation entirely with the legislature. What provision the Guthrie-Watson bill makes for the consummation of a Greater Pittsburgh has not been disclosed, but it is understood that the matter of annulling the present charters and issuing a new one will be taken under careful discussion this afternoon.

MELEE IN THE BARRACKS.

Cook Is Said to Have Slashed an Officer of the American Volunteers.

Joseph Roach was committed to jail by Magistrate Negley yesterday morning on a charge of felonious assault, made by Lieut. George Nicolas of the American Volunteers at 6326 Station street.

Roach is cook at the barracks. Late on Saturday night Nicolas went into the kitchen to get his supper. Roach, who the police allege was under the influence of liquor, refused to give Nicolas his meal. They had a few words and Nicolas left the kitchen, going up stairs.

Roach is said to have gone into a nearby saloon. In a short time he returned, and pulling out a pocketknife went up stairs after Nicolas. The latter picked up a chair to defend himself, but Roach ran in on Nicolas and slashed him with the knife in the neck under the right ear. Nicolas was taken to the Pittsburgh hospital where a number of stitches were placed in the wound.

Industrial Workers of the World Meet.

A meeting of the Industrial Workers of the World was held yesterday afternoon at Old City hall. The following expounded the principle of industrialism: Philip Veal, coal miner, of Belleville, Ill.; August Gallhaus, engineer, of New York, and E. R. Markley, local organizer. A resolution was adopted declaring that the organization would be conducted entirely independent of any political party. The Industrial Workers of the World was organized in Chicago last July and it is said now has a membership of over 100,000. It is entirely independent of the American Federation of Labor.

Welcome Visitor Soon Chases Away Clouds of Gloomy Sunday

Yesterday would have been a gloomy Sunday for many without their Sunday Gazette. Like the bright sun breaking through the clouds came the great paper with its pages of instruction, its departments of knowledge, its amusement features, its comic section, its spicy tales of happenings the world over. Just like an always welcome visitor is the paper of your choice. One awaits its coming with expectancy, greets it with effusion at the threshold, and dull care speeds away in the perusing of all those entertaining things which make for a great paper. One thing which makes friends for a paper is the ever watchfulness not to disappoint. That is one of The Sunday Gazette's strong points. Its friends know what to expect. They look forward from week to week for a certain standard, and know that their favorite paper will not fall below that standard.

There were four pages of the Workers' Magazine yesterday. And what bright, interesting pages they were, too. Just the kind of reading the worker finds of most value. Not the dull, heavy sort which makes one nod in the beginning, but every sentence catchy, timed to hold the interest, and yet as full of the meat of knowledge as one could hope to obtain. Read the story in yesterday's paper of a "Winner's Success." Learn how to reduce living to a system to make success in business. In The Sunday Gazette there was a story of Gen. Fry's unique school in an engine room. The New Idea Man tells "How We Might Live to Be 100 Years Old," and there is still another story to the effect that "Education is Not Vital to All."

The Home Journal Section has a story by A. von Ende on Segantini, the Peasant Painter of Italy. "The Mystery of the Indian Spear" is an intensely interesting tale by Fletcher Robinson. O. Henry rather reverses the order of things, and writes a story which tends to prove that "The Thing's the Play," and there is a story of wonderful interest to women in that which deals with the preparations at the White House for the wedding of the President's daughter. The Housewives' Congress, Menus for the Week, and At Story Telling Time are as bright and entertaining as usual.

The new feature in the comic section is Little Nemo, a wonderful lad who has some wonderful experiences. Little Jimmy gets into more trouble and Mr. Coon comes in for his weekly warming.

OLD-TIME POLICE EMPLOYE DIES

Standish P. Montgomery Expires at His Home in Hollywood, California.

OPERATOR DURING THE RIOTS

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Standish P. Montgomery, one of the best known of the old-time employes of the Pittsburgh police department, in Hollywood, Cal., on Saturday.

Mr. Montgomery entered the police service as call operator on April 7, 1875, when police headquarters were stationed in City hall, in the days before the installation of the present telephone system. Montgomery soon became a familiar figure at his desk in the room now occupied as a cloak room, near the entrance to the controller's office. Montgomery received his appointment under Mayor James Blackmore and at the time when Phillip Deemuel, now inspector of police in the Fifth district, was chief of police. Montgomery, who served in the One Hundred Thirty-ninth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, Judge Collier's regiment, and who later became a member of G. A. R. Post No. 3, Pittsburgh, lost a leg in the civil war and for that reason was incapable of outdoor service in the police department.

Montgomery was operator for the police department during the strenuous times of the Union station riots in July, 1877, and received all the messages during that strife over the old-time printing telegraph system. He was retired in 1899 on half pay of $1 25 a day, which he had since drawn, and was also in receipt of $45 a month pension from the government for the loss of his leg during the war. While serving in the police department he was a resident of Mt. Washington and was a property holder in that vicinity. His only brother, George Montgomery, was killed at Appomattox while serving with the One Hundred Fifty-fifth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, and died within sight of William Shore, now city detective, who was in the same company.

Shortly after his retirement Mr. Montgomery left for Hollywood to join his wife, who had gone there because of ill health. He had not returned since, though his wife was here on a prolonged visit several months ago. He is survived by his wife, one son, who is now serving in the United States cavalry in the Philippine islands, and two daughters who are at Hollywood. Montgomery was about 65 years old.

DEDICATE Y. M. C. A. HOME.

Pittsburghers Take Part in Ceremonies Opening New Building at New Kensington.

NEW KENSINGTON, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The handsome new Y. M. C. A. building, which is to be known as the Charles Perkin Memorial, was dedicated today. The exercises were elaborate and attended by a large gathering. The afternoon services were a memorial to Charles Perkin, the deceased Crucible Steel magnate whose subscription before his death, in 1904, made the erection of the building possible.

At the morning service W. C. Shaw of Pittsburgh presided. Addresses were made by W. K. Jennings of Pittsburgh, and the Rev. Dr. W. B. Riker, president of Mt. Union college. At the memorial service the speakers were J. H. Wilson, president of the local association; the Rev. M. J. Sleppy, pastor of the New Kensington Methodist Episcopal church, and the Rev. Daniel Dorchester, pastor of the Christ Methodist Episcopal church, Pittsburgh. H. T. Williams of Harrisburg presided at the evening services, when the dedication took place.

The Death Roll.

Mrs. Matilda Love Huston.

LATROBE, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Mrs. Matilda Love Huston, aged 94, widow of Joseph Huston, died this morning at the residence of her son, Joseph O. Huston. Mrs. Huston was the oldest woman in Latrobe. She was a daughter of the late Alexander Love, a pioneer resident of Indiana county. She had lived in Latrobe over 25 years. She was a member of the Presbyterian church, and until a short time ago was actively identified with its social and charitable organizations. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. A. Y. Douglass and Joseph D. Huston of Latrobe, Mrs. J. Wesley Yealy of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Samuel Kelly, Mrs. Sarah Houston and Mrs. Wosner Utts of Derry, Mrs. John Klingensmith of Gallitzin, and Mrs. Emil Baker of Tacoma, Wash.

Mrs. Margaret O'Donovan.

Mrs. Margaret O'Donovan, aged 82, died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William H. Charles, in Union avenue, Ingram. Mrs. O'Donovan was born in County Cavin, Ireland, and came to this country when a young girl. She lived in East Arcade, N. Y., for more than 47 years, coming from that place to Ingram, where she has lived during the last six years. She was a member of St. Phillip's Roman Catholic church of Crafton, and is survived by the following sons and daughters: John O'Donovan, Duluth, Minn.; Charles O'Donovan, Mrs. T. F. Fox and Mrs. M. E. Scofield, all of Buffalo, N. Y.; Mrs. James Dempsey, Franklinville, N. Y., and Mrs. William H. Charles, Ingram.

Clay Putnam Keim.

GREENSBURG, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Clay Putnam Keim died this evening from cancer of the stomach. He was born in Salisbury, Somerset county, in 1851. For many years he was engaged in the lumber business at Laurelville, moving to Greensburg 14 years ago. He was the secretary and treasurer of the Midway Land Company. Mrs. Keim and the following children survive: John of Laurelville; Frank, Howard and Mrs. Keim at home. Keim is also survived by two brothers, John of Ohio and Nelson of Martinsburg, Pa., and one sister, Mrs. D. B. Fisher of Mt. Pleasant.

John M. Morrow.

John M. Morrow, aged 55, formerly of Washington, Pa., died at his home, 4227 Fifth avenue, yesterday, after a short illness due to pneumonia. He was the son of the late A. C. Morrow of Washington, Pa., and was married to Elizabeth Kuntz, daughter of the late M. J. Kuntz of Washington, Pa. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Wray G., Mrs. A. J. Beirs and Miss Lizzie Morrow, all of Pittsburgh. Two brothers and two sisters also survive.

IMMIGRATION BILL GETS LABOR LEAGUE'S SUPPORT

Affiliated Organizations Will Be Asked to Take Similar Action—Nominate Officers.

Congressman William H. Graham's new immigration bill was unanimously indorsed by a resolution passed last night by the United Labor league, at their first meeting for the year 1906. Affiliated organizations were requested to take similar action. The trustees' report for the year showed the league to be in a prosperous condition.

The following nominations for officers for the ensuing year were made: For president, John Fernau and Henry Legleitner; vice president, Alexander Hunter and Henry Legleitner; recording secretary, D. F. McCarthy and P. W. I. Gilfoyle; treasurer, Anthony Kelly; sergeant-at-arms, M. C. Holman; doorkeeper, William Smith; trustees, C. B. Hays, J. W. Patterson and J. A. Bartlett; executive board, nine to elect, W. J. Burke, J. P. McCormick, H. W. Legleitner, Alexander Hunter, M. C. Holman, C. B. Hays, William Flannigan, John Ternan, P. W. I. Gilfoyle, C. J. Nolte and J. W. Patterson. The election will be held January 28.

Closes Youngstown Tight.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Youngstown was a tight town today. Acting under instructions of Mayor Baldwin the police kept close tab on the saloons, and the only place in the city found doing business was raided. Those who did not have a stock at home or belonged to a chartered club had to go thirsty.

DIED.

BURGESS—Of measles, at the home of his parents, 7531 Bladeria street, Thirty-seventh ward, on Sunday, January 14, 1906, at 10 a. m., BLAIR, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Burgess, aged 8 months.

Funeral services at the family home, Hampton township, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Final services at the residence of her father, John McKee, Springdale, Pa., Tuesday, at 1:30 p. m.

JAMES—At Verona, Pa., on Saturday, January 13, 1906, at 11:15 p. m., FLORENCE ELEANOR, youngest child of John H. and the late Rose Shaffer James, aged 7 months.

Funeral services at her parents' residence, North avenue, on Monday, January 15, 1906, at 2 p. m. Interment private in Oakmont cemetery.

(New Bethlehem papers please copy.)

KIMBERLIN—On Saturday, January 13, 1906, at 3 a. m., HOWARD, son of William E. and Ella N. Kimberlin, in his 17th year.

Funeral from his parents' residence, 1610 Fremont street, Allegheny, on Tuesday, January 16, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MONTGOMERY—At Hollywood, Cal., Saturday, January 13, 1906, STANDISH P. MONTGOMERY, late Company I, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth Pennsylvania volunteers, and member of Post 3, Pittsburgh.

MORROW—Of pneumonia, on Sunday, January 14, 1906, at 10 a. m., JOHN M. MORROW, aged 55 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 4227 Fifth avenue, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Homewood cemetery.

POLLARD—On Wednesday, January 10, 1906, at 11 a. m., at Colorado Springs, Col., RICHARD JOHN POLLARD, aged 23 years, only son of Mrs. Mary E. and Thomas E. Pollard.

Funeral from the family residence, 1124 Shady avenue, East End. Notice of time will be announced later. Interment private.

RAYBURN—At the residence of her son-in-law, J. L. Bolton, 4427 Davidson street, on Sunday at 10:20 a. m., JULIA A. RAYBURN (nee Yahies), in her 54th year.

Funeral services Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Interment Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Sharon and Homestead papers please copy.)

SATTLER—On Sunday, January 14, 1906, at 10 a. m., EDNA, daughter of Fred. and Annie Sattler, aged 4 years and 4 months.

Funeral services at the residence, 3400 East street, Allegheny, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SLEPPY—On Saturday, January 13, at 12:45 a. m., ALICE HORROCKS SLEPPY, wife of Dr. R. M. Sleppy, at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Horrocks, 1306 Beaver avenue, Allegheny.

Funeral Tuesday, January 16, at 3 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SMITH—On Sunday, January 14, 1906, at 9:45 p. m., JOHN SMITH, husband of Jane Smith, in his 72nd year.

Funeral from his late residence, West Liberty avenue, West Liberty borough, Wednesday, January 17, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WEISSENSTEIN—On Friday, January 12, 1906, at 11 p. m., HENRY E. WEISSENSTEIN, beloved husband of Margaret E. Weissenstein (nee Wentzel), at his home, Brushton avenue, Penn township, in his 45th year.

Funeral from his late residence, on Tuesday, January 16, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family and members of Pride of West Connell, Jr. O. U. A. M., No. 157, are respectfully invited to attend.

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Cleveland & Chicago Ex..... | *2.30 pm | *12.15 pm
Boston Special..... | *6.00 pm | *6.35 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer" | *6.15 pm | *11.15 am
Chicago Limited..... | *6.15 pm | *6.35 am
Buffalo Express..... | *10.00 pm | *6.35 am
Cleveland Night Express... | *11.00 pm | *6.35 am
Youngstown Local..... | †5.20 am | *9.50 am
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Beaver Falls Local..... | †3.20 pm | †12.10 pm
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New Castle Express..... | *4.20 pm | †7.20 pm
New Castle Express..... | †5.30 pm | †1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express..... | *5.25 pm | †6.30 am
Beaver Valley Local..... | †9.00 pm | †6.45 am
Brownsville Local..... | †8.10 am | †7.00 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.. | *8.00 am | *8.50 am
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MONEY FOR BETTERMENTS SHACKLES SPECULATION

Future of Market Looks Well, However, from Demonstration of Strength Made by Bull Forces Which Are Shaping It.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Events of the week in the stock market have demonstrated more conclusively than ever the great strength of the bull forces which are shaping its course. From the high level of prices at which securities closed a week ago, advances have been made to still higher levels, and at the close of the week enthusiasm ran high. The most that can be said of a favorable character concerning the outburst of speculative enthusiasm at the close of the week is that the controlling forces at work have kept it within bounds.

Pressure to sell has always appeared when the tendencies of the market were too buoyant, with the result that the advances have been orderly. In the first part of the week the money market eased. The abnormal money rates for several weeks past were effectually reduced, and as the week progressed supplies of money were larger with the steady inflow of funds from the interior and sub-treasury disbursements. With the more liberal offerings of credit facilities it was felt that the upward movement which met almost insurmountable obstacles in December would proceed untrammeled, but the market halted under a general profit taking movement.

In some companies prices have been reached which have discounted the fruition of deeds which may never be accomplished. January is a month of promise in the speculative world, and this year this statement is particularly true. To the large holders of stocks the time must be a peculiarly opportune one in which to lighten ones holdings. Confidence as to the future is running high, and then business men report conditions to be never so prosperous.

It may be a source of satisfaction to the holders of stock who sell at the present level to know that their judgment of the future formed months ago has proven correct, and that there is still a problematical element of improvement in value to those who are willing to assume the risk in purchases at this level. Opinion, of course, differs as to the extent of the future improvement, even considering the momentum which was given trade and commerce by the enormous crops of a year ago.

All over the country credit facilities are taxed to the extreme in carrying on the trade of the country. Prices of commodities are high, and there is the usual extension and enlargement of plants and works, which tie up a great fund of money in interior cities. Under these circumstances, there is little doubt but that the money market will again automatically apply the brakes to over-enthusiastic speculation, for the position of the banks so far as reserves are concerned is none too good. With a widespread demand for money to conduct a record-breaking volume of business and stock speculation, it is rather easy to predict that an active stock speculation will be on dangerous shoals, unless all signs fail.

STOCKS ARE BUOYANT ON ENGLISH 'CHANGE

Anticipating Public, Speculators and Small Investors Have Been Going in Early.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, Jan. 14.—A remarkable change has come over the aspect of affairs on the stock exchange. If any had thought that the general election was going to keep things quiet until it was seen how the cat was really going to jump, as it were, they know different now, for after a period of hesitation at the beginning of the week, the operators in the end fairly took the bit between their teeth and quite ran away with the market. Not for an age has the house been in so buoyant a humor as when the operations closed for this week.

Prices stand good now in almost every department from consols downward, and general advances were marked all along the line. As a rule, when business makes a sudden start, after a long period of inactivity, the movement can safely be attributed to speculative buying by professionals anxious to forestall the public, but there could be no questioning the fact that investors were in the market on Friday at any rate, for a very large proportion of the business consisted of small country orders.

Those who are content to wait some time for a good profit appear to be recognizing that the time is favorable for the purchase of promising stocks. The gilt edged group is particularly hopeful for an advance of 5 per cent or more in the quotations, while being at the same time safe.

The one danger seems to be that the operators for a rise will try to force the pace too much at the start, but the market position as it is considered now is so healthy that no immediate trouble is anticipated on this score.

For the greater part of the week the British railway market has been quiet, and at times somnolent, although the favorable character of the board of trade returns for the closing month of the last year, and the fairly good batch of traffic, exercised a sustaining effect upon the quotations.

A curious feature of the week's business has been that the foreign buying which has hitherto stopped at consols among the British issues, has boiled over into home railway stock. The operators are perhaps less than usually keen in the matter of dividend forecasting, but as earlier announcements will not be made for nearly another month, they evidently think there is no need for hurry.

American rails have continued to attract the largest amount of speculative attention in the house, and, although by far the greater part of the dealings have been in Wall street, Berlin and Amsterdam accounts, the insular transactions have been by no means unimportant.

Union Pacifics have gone on creating fresh high records for this side, and a string of runners-up has been found in Denvers, Southern Pacific, Norfolk and Missouris, the prices being talked a great deal higher than at present, but many careful operators are now waiting to see whether or not the talking will prove effective.

A good many people would pay a round sum to obtain exact information concerning the position of Anacondas. It was thought that the bears in Wall street had been badly caught, but the prevalent idea at the moment over here is that there must be an enormous number of shares on the water between Europe and New York, and that the American market is being manipulated against their arrival, thus nobody here would be surprised to hear at any moment of a sharp drop.

Street Loafing Comes High.

John Shankey was fined $50 and costs by Magistrate Kirby at Central station yesterday morning because he was found loafing about the Wabash depot where a man was robbed of $59 last Friday night.

GOOD WEEK FOR TRADE IN PRODUCE MARKET

Merchants Do Big Business and Close Is Strong—Eggs May Be Cheaper.

Pittsburgh produce merchants found the past week very satisfactory. The market was generally strong, and prices advanced in several instances. Saturday was the best day of the week for business. There is a strong demand for all new arrivals of green goods, celery advancing slightly before the close of the day. Apples were strong, but quotations were unchanged.

Eggs are weaker, and a 30-cent market is expected before this week closes. Sales for last week were light, while the receipts were heavy.

Shipments of flour from the northwest are heavier, and the quotations for Minnesota patents dropped 5 cents on Saturday.

The provision market closed strong, with a few advances.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts Saturday were: Pennsylvania, 3 cars straw, 9 cars corn corn, 10 cars hay, 16 cars oats, 2 cars feed and 3 cars rye. Baltimore & Ohio, 13 cars hay and 1 car oats. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 8 cars hay and 4 cars oats.

The week closed with a strong market, receipts not being equal to the demand. All surplus stocks were worked off, and arrivals found heavy sale. Buffalo and eastern markets are higher than Pittsburgh on corn, so an advance is freely predicted here. Oats and hay continue active. Millfeed is scarce. The straw market remains steady.

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No. 2 clover..$9.75@10.25	Bran, ton....$19.50@20.00
No. 1 mixed.$11.00@11.50	Wheat, No. 1 red, new, at mill...75@80c
No. 2 mixed..$9.75@10.25	Corn—New yellow shelled .....43@45c
Straw, oat....$8.00@8.50	New high mixed .....50@51½c
do wheat....$8.00@8.50	New yellow ear.52@52½c
do rye ....$8.00@8.50	No. 2 Michigan rye .....75@76c
No. 2 white oats .....36½@36¾c	
No. 3 white oats .....35¾@36c	
No. 4 oats.....34@35c	

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy .....$5.00@5.50	Pineapples, smooth Cayennes $4.00@4.50
Other fancy Varieties ..$4.50@5.00	Red Spanish...$4.00@4.50
do choice ...$3.50@4.00	Pears, bbls....$3.00@3.50
do California, box .....$1.50@2.50	do Kiefers, hamper .....75@90c
Lemons, Messinas, fancy .....$3.00@3.50	Limes, per 100 ....$2.00@2.50
do choice ...$2.50@2.75	Dates, stuffed 15c
Oranges, Florida ..$3.25@3.50	Figs, California, box $1.90
California $2.75@3.25	Layer, lb. .....10@12c
Cocoanuts, bags .....$3.25@3.50	Grapes, Malaga, bbl.$5.00@5.50
do doz. .....45@50c	do fancy ...$6.00@7.00
Bananas, 1sts.$1.50@2.00	Grape fruit, Florida ...$4.50@5.00
do 2nds ....$1.00@1.50	Tangerine straps .....$4.00@5.00

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Butter.	do imported...27@27½c
Prints .....30@30½c	do Limburger, new ....13@13½c
Tubs .....29@29½c	do 5-lb brick, new ....14½@15c
Ohio cream....27@28c	do Neufchatel, large box...90c@$1.00
Dairy .....20¼@21½c	do Shefford, box...55c
Cooking .....20@21c	Eggs, selected ...25@26c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new.14@14½c	do strictly nearby fresh .....27@28c
Ohio full crm...14@14½c	do southern ...25@26c
do ¾ cream..13@13½c	do storage .....21@22c
do Picnics....14½@15c	
do Wis. Swiss, tubs .....15@15½c	
do block ....14½@15c	

NUTS.

New California walnuts 17c	English walnuts, lb. .....12@13c
Chestnuts, Italian .....7@8c	Butternuts ...$1.25@1.50
Hickory nuts, bu. .....$1.75@2.00	Hazelnuts, lb.....11@12c
Walnuts, bu. ....50@75c	Almonds, lb. ....14@15c
	Pecans, lb. .....11@12c
	Shellbarks ...$2.00@2.25

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu. .....70@75c	Apples, Fancy, bbl...$4.00@4.75
Cabbage, G. S., ton ....$20.00@21.00	Choice, bbl...$3.00@4.00
	Onions, bbl. ...$1.75@1.85
	do bu. .....60@65c

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs.12c	Bulls, No. 1, over 60 lbs. 10c
Light steers No. 1.12½c	Calf, green salt, No. 1 .....13c
Cows, all weights.12½c	do No. 2.....11c

GROCERIES.

Flour	do cubes 5.00c
Fancy spg. Minn. pat. .....$4.70@4.90	do cubes A.....4.65c
Kansas pats ....$4.70@4.90	do No. 1 yellow..4.40c
Fancy winter patent $4.30	do No. 2 yellow..4.30c
Rye .....$3.00@3.35	Beans, Navy, choice, H. P. .....$1.80@1.90
Buckwheat ...$2.90@3.00	Red kidney ...$3.25@3.50
Graham, 10-lb bags .....$2.30@2.50	Cal. lima, lb. ...5@5½c
Cornmeal, bbl. .....$3.15@3.25	Peas, dried, bu. .....$1.30@1.35
Rolled oats, bbl...$5.25	do split, lb. 3½c
do kegs $2.75	do marrowfat, bu. .....$1.75@1.85
Roasted Coffee.	Oil, carbon, 110 deg. 12c
Rio .....12½@15c	do water white....12c
Santos .....23@24c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg. 12½c
Maracaibo .....15½@16c	do Elaine 15c
Peaberry .....18@18½c	Miners' oil, special brands .....26@43c
Golden Rio 15c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb. ....6½@7c
Caracas .....19½@21c	do fancy Japan .....4¾@5c
Standard, pkgs....14.05c	do choice, Carolina .....5½@6c
High grade ...18@19c	Salt, No. 1, bbl....$1.10
Molasses, barry, refined .....35@38c	do No. 1 extra....$1.20
do choice .....31@34c	do grain, rock....$1.65
do open ket....37@39c	do pocket....$1.65@2.10
do 2-lb 25c	do dairy $1.40
do 3-lb .....$1.35@1.65	Lentils, fancy "S-O." lb....4½@5½c
Fancy syrup ....28@30c	Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask.$7.50@8.00
Maple sugar, lb.11@16c	do 15-gal keg.$2.50@2.75
Sug. and cane..21@25c	do bbls. ....$3.50@6.00
2-lb cans, doz.....80c	Hominy, pearled, bbl., fancy, lb. .....17@18c
2½-lb cans, doz.....95c	do choice .....15@16c
5-lb cans, doz.....$1.75	do buckwheat...15@16c
10-lb cans, doz.....$3.40	
Maple, gal.....75c@$1.00	
Sugar, stg. gran...4.90c	
do bags 4.75c	
do fine granulated..4.65c	
do 5-lb bags ..4.90c	
do pow'd xxxx..4.85c	
do cut loaf.....5.05c	

PRODUCE.

Potatoes .....80@85c	Lettuce, bskt....40@50c
Sweet potatoes, Jersey fancy, bbl. .....$3.25@3.50	do hampers..$3.00@3.50
Jersey sweets, crate .....$1.00@1.50	Endive, bbl...$5.50@6.00
do med., bbl. .....$1.75@2.00	Escarali .....$4.50@5.00
do fancy, hamper ...$1.00@1.25	Head lettuce, bbls. .....$5.00@7.00
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu. ....70@80c	Spinach, bskt....50@60c
do yellow Danvers, bbls. .....$2.00@2.25	Rutabagas, bbl. .....$1.15@1.25
Silver skins, bbls. .....$3.50@4.00	Cranberries, box .....$5.00@5.50
do bu. .....$1.50@1.75	Eggplant, crt.$3.00@3.50
Valencia, crates ....$3.25@3.50	Garlic, lb. .....7@10c
do Spanish, crates ....$1.40@1.50	Watercress, doz. .25@35c
Cabbage, bbl. G. S. ....$1.50@1.75	Cauliflower, crates ....$2.00@2.50
do red ....$1.75@2.00	Carrots, bbls...$1.75@2.00
do Savoy, bbls. .....$1.00@1.25	Cucumbers, Boston, doz...$1.75@2.00
Green peppers, crate ....$2.50@3.00	Turnips, bbl....$1.50@1.75
Green beans, bu. .....$2.50@4.00	do .....50@60c
Celery, Ohio, large bunches ....40@50c	Beets, bbls. ...$2.00@2.25
do small bunches .....20@25c	Squash, marrowfats, bbl...$2.50@3.00
California celery, crate ....$4.00@4.25	Hubbard, bbl. .....$1.75@2.00
do doz. .....75@85c	Parsnips, bbls.$2.00@2.25
	Horseradish ..$5.50@6.00
	Brussels sprouts, quarts .....14@15c
	Radishes, doz....35@50c
	Shallots .....40@50c
	Strawberries, qt..60@70c
	Rhubarb, doz. ...70@75c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie...$1.05	Raspberries .....85@95c
do pie, gal.$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ....85@90c
do California, lb. .....$1.90@2.05	Tomatoes, fancy ....$1.10@1.20
do California, 2½-lb .....$1.90@2.25	do standard...$1.05@1.10
Corn, fancy..$1.10@1.20	do gal. $2.50
do stand. .....80@90c	Succotash, 1-lb cans .....$1.10@1.25
Cherries, California, white ....$2.50@2.75	Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce.75@86c
Lima beans..$1.25@1.40	Salmon, doz....86c@$2.00
do soaked .....70@80c	do red, 1-lb flats .....85c@$1.00
String beans, 2-lb .....65@70c	do tall, 1-lb talls .....$1.81@2.10
do 2-lb .....90@95c	Chipped beef..$2.25@2.75
Stringless beans ....$1.10@1.60	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans..$2.30@2.40
Peas, marrowfat .....80@90c	do 1-lb cans.$1.25@1.30
do early June..75@90c	Mackerel, broiled ...$1.80@2.50
do soaked .....55@65c	Sardines, domestic, ½s ....$2.80@3.00
Plums, California, gal. cans..$2.50@2.75	do mustards, ½s..$2.50
Pineapples ...$1.25@2.50	do French..$6.50@18.50

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up.....10¾c	back strips 11¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs....10¾c	Dry salt sides, extra
Over 10 to 14 lbs.....11c	short clears 8¾c
10 lbs and under....11¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 9c
Skinned 11¼c	do 16 to 20 lbs.....9¼c
Boneless rolled....17½c	do under 16 lbs...9¼c
California 8c	Dry salt smoked
Shoulders, N. Y., cut 8¼c	sides, extra short clears 9¾c
do skinned 8¾c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10c
Ribs, 8 to 16 lbs....13c	do 16 to 20 lbs....10½c
do 16 to 12 lbs....11½c	do under 16 lbs...10½c
do back strips..10½c	Lard, pure, tierces...8c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 12½c	
do 10 to 12 lbs...11¾c	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens .....18@19c	Ducks, ruddy $1.50
do roosters .....8@9c	do red-head.$1.70@3.00
do turkeys ....17@18c	do canvas-back .....$7.75@8.00
do geese .....10@11c	Impt. golden plover, doz. $5.50
do ducks .....14@15c	do black plover ..$4.50
do pigeons, doz. .....90c@$1.00	English pheasants, per pair $3.25
Dressed hens....16@17c	Reed birds, doz....$1.25
do springers...17@19c	Snappers, per lb...8@9c
do roosters ....11@12c	Pigeons, pair....20@25c
do turkeys ....20@23c	Frogs, doz. ...$2.25@2.50
do Long Island ducklings 20c	Rabbits, pair ...40@50c
do ducks ....17@18c	Squirrel, doz..$1.00@1.50
do capon .....24@27c	
Squab, doz....$3.75@4.00	
do No. 2....$2.00@2.25	

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs. .....8@9½c	Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice..10@11½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb. ....10@12½c	do fancy .....11@12c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkgs. ..5½@8c	Cleaned currants, 1-lb pkgs. ..11¾@7¾c
	Prunes, Cal., lb...5@10c

IMPROVEMENT IN FRANCE.

Algeciras Conference Has Temporary Effect on Bourse Transactions, but Better Outlook Is Evidenced.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—(Special Cable.)—For the last week the bourse has been characterized by certain fluctuations, but principally by a restriction in business as the financial world is preoccupied by the possibilities of the Algeciras conference and by some fears of a monetary stringency, though the latter apprehension is baseless, the Banque de France statement on Thursday allowing no doubt of the excellent state of the money market. In addition the Banque de France will be authorized to issue 800,000,000 of bank notes.

The conclusion of the arrangements between the great banks and Russia for an advance of 300,000,000 in treasury bonds of one year also had a calming effect, and the week ended with a fairly general hardening on quotations throughout the list.

An easy settlement is foreseen for tomorrow, notable advances having been made in Spanish exteriors and railroads. In consequence of this is an improvement on the exchange and an advance also in French railroads. Rio Tinto and copper stocks have not been much dealt in.

In the Oil fields

The failure of the oil market to advance in the face of the fruitless effort to find strictly new producing territory, and the enormous demand for high grade crude over the possibility of the fields producing it to keep pace with consumption, has caused more discussion in the past few months than any other topic connected with the industry. For months past the stocks of the eastern fields have been drawn on to make up the deficiency. The last month in the old year was no exception to previous conditions. The shipments, which represent the consumption, exceeded the runs, representing the production, by more than 600,000 barrels.

The continued reduction of the stocks of the Lima-Indiana fields, an inferior grade of oil, is not of so much concern as the threatened wiping out of the stocks of oil of the Pennsylvania grade. The reports of business transacted by pipe lines, posted on the 10th of each month, showed by the last statement that the stocks of Pennsylvania crude are lower than at any time in the past 25 years, and if the demand is as great during the current year as it was for the past 12 months, before the beginning of another year there will not be an available barrel of high grade oil in storage. The present stocks of oil of the Pennsylvania grade are a little more than 3,000,000 barrels. From this total must be deducted sediment in the bottom of the storage tanks and the large amount of crude to fill the pipe lines. A part of the former can be marketed and will furnish a small percentage of refined and by-products. The oil required to fill the pipe lines is not available so long as they are to be used as a means of transportation.

At this time it is a condition and not a theory that makes the situation most perplexing for the industry. But one of two conditions can arise that can possibly furnish a solution to the problem. The discovery of new producing territory, capable of supplying a large increase in the production of high grade crude, or a heavy falling off in the demand for that quality and its valuable by-products. The probability of either contingency is very remote. The consumption of what was formerly regarded as by-products has increased so rapidly within the past few years that they are now vastly more valuable than the refined product. While the inferior grades of crude furnish some of the by-products in small quantities, they will not be able to supply the demand as it now exists and is constantly increasing.

To meet the demand for one by-product alone the most care-saving methods have been adopted to prevent it from going to waste. Until quite recently no effort was made to save the wax, from which paraffin is made, that accumulated on the rods and around the casing-head at the pumping wells in the West Virginia fields. Two, at least, of the largest producing companies have recently issued instructions to save carefully all of the wax that accumulates on the sucker rods and around the casing-heads. Formerly this product was regarded as a nuisance and not worth saving and was shoveled from the derrick floor as if it had no more value than so much mud. This is all changed, and instead of throwing it away it is put into barrels and shipped to a Pittsburgh refinery, where it is treated and converted into paraffin wax and is then sold as a household necessity. The market value of a barrel of crude wax at the wells is 75 cents, and it is claimed the price is infinitesmal as compared with what it is worth after it has been refined. The oil derived from some localities and sand formations contains more wax than in others. The 100-foot oil, in the Milltown field, near Verona, Allegheny county, is very rich in this by-product. No other local field produces oil so pronounced in this characteristic. The oil from the Millgrove district is so impregnated with wax that it is almost impossible to force it through the pipe line in the winter, when the temperature is low.

When it is considered that vast areas of territory have been drilled over and a larger amount tested and found wanting in the past ten years, the chances for making the discovery of any large fields are very slim. The wildcatter has satisfied his own mind—and depleted his bank account at the same time—that there is no longer any good reason for keeping up the search in West Virginia or Southeastern Ohio. Both have been the main supplies as sources of high grade crude for many years, and the hope of making new discoveries that can possibly stay the decline has been practically abandoned. The most that can be hoped for is the discovery of congested pools. These exist, to a certainty, and their discovery is as high as the aspiration of the wildcatter can hope to reach. Rather than continue the search and hazard the loss of money that may follow, many operators have piled up their tools or gone to the western fields. As one operator expressed it during the week: "Oil operators in the eastern fields are just coming to their senses and are not drilling for the sake of saying they are in the business."

So few new discoveries have been made in the past two years that anything along that line attracts widespread attention. The one most discussed during the past week was made during the latter part of December last, and is southeast of Mansfield, near Butler, in Richland county, O. The well was drilled by the Hon. J. B. Waight and the Hon. F. O. Levering of Mt. Vernon, and is on the William Mengert farm. The oil was found in the Clinton limestone, at a depth of about 2,800 feet. In this stratum prolific gas deposits had been found, but it had gained no prominence as an oil producing formation. When the strike was made, on December 22, Waight & Levering did not take the public into their confidence, but bestirred themselves to secure all the territory adjacent to their lease. Having succeeded, there was no longer any reason for secrecy, and it is now learned from reliable sources that the initial production of the well was 250 barrels the first 24 hours, and that it is still producing more than 100 barrels a day. In color, the oil is almost as clear as the cheaper grades of refined. It is so nearly devoid of color that one can stand on the top of a 250-barrel tank, and, looking down, can see the bottom of the tank. The oil is equally light in gravity. When tested in the usual way, it proved to be of 38 gravity. This is much higher than the average of the high grades of the eastern fields. The color and light gravity gives room for skepticism. If oil of the same characteristics was found in the Pennsylvania or West Virginia fields, the well producing it would be regarded as a "wonder" until proved otherwise by drilling in of other producing wells in the same locality. For the present, at least, it may be safe to take that view of the white oil producer southeast of Mansfield.

In old Clarion county the Pittsburgh Oil & Gas Company has quite recently made a new discovery in the lower sand that may lead up to something of importance. Last month it decided to drill an old gasser on the J. P. Reed farm to the third sand. At a few feet in the lower sand oil, instead of gas, was encountered, and the hole filled up with fluid. The owners did not make the fact that the well had come in an oil producer public, and got busy taking up leases. The well has been averaging 16 barrels a day for the past two weeks. If the well now due in the sand, owned by the same company, comes in a good producer, some of the old-time operators will have occasion to revisit a country that they deserted more than 30 years ago.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
January 12	76,034	January 11	75,317
Previously	749,025	Previously	572,734
Total	825,059	Total	647,861
Daily average..	68,755	Daily average...	53,896

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
January 12	60,415	January 11	50,873
Previously	674,225	Previously	402,653
Total	734,640	Total	453,526
Daily average..	61,220	Daily average...	41,229

NEW YORK WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT

Statement of the associated banks of the city of New York, from reports to the New York clearing house, as required under section 16 of the constitution, for the week ended Saturday, January 13:

Banks.	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	Deposits.	Average Circulation.
Bank of New York, Nat. Bkg. Assn.	$ 16,691,900	$ 2,792,900	$ 1,188,000	$ 15,400,000	$ 1,185,600
Bank of the Manhattan Co.	22,350,000	4,068,000	2,578,000	28,484,000	.....
Merchants National Bank	11,300,500	2,647,600	1,246,200	14,582,200	.....
Mechanics National Bank	14,387,500	2,975,000	2,797,000	18,977,000	640,400
Bank of America	22,629,300	5,737,000	2,172,100	29,527,700	.....
Phenix National Bank	5,545,000	949,000	248,000	4,477,000	207,200
National City Bank	153,615,800	28,986,800	5,806,100	10,436,000	7,581,000
Chemical National Bank	23,398,300	4,507,200	1,928,300	22,591,800	.....
Merchants Exchange National Bank	5,567,000	859,000	632,000	5,919,400	319,400
Gallatin National Bank	8,063,500	923,400	581,600	6,851,700	285,100
Nat. Butchers & Drovers Bank	2,270,000	650,300	84,900	2,828,400	48,100
Mechanics & Traders Bank	5,968,000	727,000	816,000	6,674,000	.....
Greenwich Bank	4,696,200	623,000	570,300	5,104,000	.....
American Exchange National Bank	25,484,700	3,864,900	1,962,800	29,974,000	4,981,600
National Bank of Commerce	154,245,700	29,817,200	11,683,400	145,883,900	12,744,700
Mercantile National Bank	20,866,300	3,420,100	1,374,300	17,848,000	2,472,000
Pacific Bank	3,460,700	494,100	384,000	4,019,600	.....
Chatham National Bank	5,745,400	879,500	799,600	6,823,200	48,100
Peoples Bank	2,088,900	178,800	641,100	2,759,800	.....
National Bank of North America	13,493,200	1,524,400	1,734,900	11,832,000	1,125,000
Hanover National Bank	48,213,900	7,396,600	6,885,700	53,305,300	1,698,200
Irving National Bank	6,778,000	1,182,500	484,600	6,316,000	246,600
Citizens Central National Bank	19,818,000	3,895,700	1,209,300	20,313,100	1,556,800
Nassau Bank	3,276,000	277,700	428,000	3,073,900	.....
Market & Fulton National Bank	6,343,100	1,226,700	730,800	6,744,500	49,500
National Shoe & Leather Bank	6,846,700	1,157,900	564,800	8,747,100	197,100
Corn Exchange Bank	20,727,600	5,630,000	4,703,000	27,638,000	.....
Oriental Bank	3,041,000	1,338,800	408,700	3,940,100	.....
Importers & Traders National Bank	24,284,000	3,961,000	1,462,000	21,612,000	48,000
National Park Bank	62,726,000	13,371,000	5,800,000	71,748,000	2,987,900
East River National Bank	1,304,000	277,700	117,800	1,370,100	49,500
Fourth National Bank	18,302,400	3,100,200	2,818,600	20,749,000	750,000
Second National Bank	10,105,000	796,000	2,214,000	11,058,000	267,600
First National Bank	85,253,600	17,434,100	2,288,000	72,827,400	8,901,900
New York Nat. Exchange Bank	5,674,000	1,251,200	423,300	5,254,400	634,200
Bowery Bank	3,140,000	447,600	225,800	2,563,000	.....
New York County National Bank	5,090,500	1,157,000	578,400	4,198,400	50,000
German-American Bank	2,979,400	641,100	189,200	2,797,100	.....
Chase National Bank	41,548,800	10,064,300	1,528,700	40,622,200	927,900
Fifth Avenue Bank	10,875,300	2,498,700	897,600	12,209,700	.....
German Exchange Bank	2,961,400	170,000	820,000	4,199,000	.....
Germania Bank	3,175,500	496,500	544,000	3,690,300	.....
Lincoln National Bank	14,622,200	1,510,900	2,173,800	15,879,000	293,000
Garfield National Bank	2,437,900	1,052,400	339,400	3,728,800	49,100
Fifth National Bank	2,738,200	521,200	172,100	2,767,000	242,900
Bank of the Metropolis	9,359,600	1,512,600	885,500	10,781,100	.....
West Side Bank	4,333,000	674,000	378,000	4,891,000	.....
Seaboard National Bank	14,562,000	2,485,000	1,719,000	16,765,000	340,000
First National Bank, Brooklyn	4,382,000	540,000	625,000	4,643,000	75,000
Liberty National Bank	3,944,900	1,287,400	478,500	3,718,500	393,300
New York Produce Exchange Bank	5,832,900	1,661,700	435,100	6,314,300	.....
New Amsterdam National Bank	5,607,100	987,600	685,600	6,686,400	200,000
Astor National Bank	3,876,400	612,000	228,000	3,532,000	250,000

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THE BATH COMEDY

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Authors of "The Pride of Jennico."

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(Continued from Yesterday.)

And now Lady Maria's bass struck in again. "What did I say?" cried she triumphantly. "Nevvy, you'd better go to bed! you're well out of her. Julia, my dear, don't faint, we can catch them at Devizes yet. Someone tell that wench to stop that screeching! Julia, come! You've got the chay, I understand. Fortunately, my house is near; we shall just call for Burrell and make him ride behind with his blunderbuss. Child, if you faint I wash my hands of the whole affair. We'll nip them, I tell you, if you'll only brisk up."

"I won't faint," said Lady Standish, setting her teeth.

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Lord Verney suddenly awoke to the fact that he had been grievously injured and that he was in a towering passion. Spluttering, he demanded vengeance of gods and men. Post-chaise, ho, and pistols, forthwith! "My sword!" cried he, feeling for the blade which, however, according to the regulations enforced by the Immortal Master of Bath ceremonies, was absent from its natural post on his noble hip in this polite assembly.

"Come with me," cried Capt. Spicer, clapping his patron on the shoulder in a burst of excitement. "I'll stand to you, of course, lad! You'll want a witness. Gad!" exclaimed the amiable captain, "we'll have Sir Jasper's liver on the spit before crow of cock!"

CHAPTER XX.

The side rays of the chaise-lamps played on the widow's soft, saucy face, threw beguiling shadows under her eyes, and fleeting dimples round those lips that seemed perpetually to invite kisses.

Cosily nestling in the corner of the carriage, her head in its black silk hood tilted back against the cushions, in the flickering uncertain gleam, there was something almost babyish in her whole appearance; something babyish, too, in her attitude of perfect confidence and enjoyment.

Denis O'Hara, with one arm extended above her head, his hand resting open on the panel, the other hand still clasping the handle of the door, gazed upon the woman who had placed herself so completely in his power, and felt smitten to the heart of him with a tenderness that was well-nigh pain. Hitherto his glib tongue had never faltered with a woman without his lips being ready to fill the pause with a suitable caress. But not so today.

"What's come to me at all?" said he to himself, as, frightened by the very strength of his own passion, he could find no word at once ardent and respectful enough in which to speak it. And, indeed, "What had come to him?" was what Mistress Kitty was thinking about the same time. "And what may his arm be doing over my head?" she wondered.

"How beautiful you are!" babbled the Irishman at last.

Mistress Bellairs suddenly sat up with an angry start. It was as if she had been stung.

"Heavens!" cried she, thrusting her little forefingers into her ears. "Mr. O'Hara, if you say that again, I shall jump out of the chay."

Her eyes flashed; she looked capable of fulfilling her threat upon the spot.

"Me darling heart," said he, and had perforce to lay his hands upon her to keep her still. "Sure what else can I say to you, with my eyes upon your angel face?"

Apparently the lady's ears were not so completely stopped but that such words could penetrate.

"'Tis monstrous," said she in hot indignation, "that I should go to all this trouble to escape from the bleating of that everlasting refrain, and have it buzzed at me," she waxed incoherent under the sense of her injuries, "thus at the very outset!"

"My dear love," said he, humbly, capturing the angry, gesticulating hand, "sure me heart's so full that it's choking me." She felt him tremble beside here as he spoke.

Now the trembling lover was not of those that entered into Mistress Kitty's scheme of existence. She had, perhaps, reckoned when planning her escapade, upon being made to tremble a little herself. She had certainly reckoned upon a journey this evening that should be among the most memorable in the annals of her impressions. O'Hara bashful! O'Hara tongue-tied! O'Hara with cold fingers that hardly dared to touch hers! O'Hara, the gay rattler with constrained lips!

This was an O'Hara whose existence she had not dreamed of, and for whose acquaintance, to say the truth, she had small relish. "What has come to you?" she cried aloud, with another burst of petulance.

"Faith," said he, "and I hardly know myself, Kitty darling. Oh, Kitty," said he, "'tis vastly well to laugh at love and play at love; but when love comes in earnest it takes a man as it were by the throat, and it's no joke then."

"So I see," said she, with some dryness. O'Hara clenched his hand and drew a labored breath.

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Straining, slipping now and again, breaking into spurts of trot, to fall into enforced walking pace once more, the gallant team had dragged the chaise to the summit of the great rise at a speed quite unprecedented, yet comparatively slow.

Now the way lay down hill. The coachman waved his whip. Bounding along the fair road the wheels hummed; the night wind fanned them through the half open window, set Mistress Kitty's laces flapping on her bosom, and a stray curl of Mr. O'Hara's dancing on his pale forehead.

The exhilaration of the rapid flight, the crack of the whip, the mad rhythm of the hoofs, the witchery of the night hour, the risks of the situation, the very madness of the whole enterprise, all combined to set the widow's gay blood delightfully astir, mounting to her light brain like sparkling wine.

What! were all the accessories of the play to be so perfect, and was the chief character to prove such a lamentable failure in his part? What! was she, Kitty Bellairs, to be carried off by the most notorious rake in Bath, only to find him as awkward, as dumb, as embarrassed with the incomparable situation as 'the veriest greenhorn? "It shall not, and it cannot be," said she to herself. And thereupon she changed her tactics.

"Why," said she aloud, with the cooing note of her most melting mood, "a protest one would think, sir, that you were afraid of me."

"Aye, Kitty," said he, simply; "and so I am."

"Oh, fie!" she laughed. "And how have I alarmed you? Think of me," said she, and leaned her face towards him with a smile of archest wit, "not as a stranger, but as a sister, as a dear, dear cousin." His eye flamed back at her. Her merry mood was as incongruous to his sudden, storm-serious growth of passion as the gay lilt of a tambourine might be to a solemn chant.

"I think of you," he said, and there was a deep thrill in his voice, "as my wife that is to be."

And so saying he fell upon his knees in the narrow space, and tenderly kissed a fold of her lace, as one from the knowledge of his own fire, afraid of a nearer touch.

The word "wife" had never a pleasing sound in the lovely widow's ears. From neither the past nor the future did it evoke for her an attractive picture.

Coming from those lips, by which it was the very last name she desired to hear herself called, it aroused in her as pretty a fit of fury as ever she had indulged in. "Now, indeed, is the murder out!" she cried. "Oh, you men are all alike. As lovers—all fire, capsicums, Indian suns! Bottles of Sillery always bursting! Torrents not to be stemmed * * * But, lo! you let the lover once fancy himself the husband, let the vision of the coveted mistress but merge into the prospect of the secured wife * * * Merciful heavens, what a change! For fire we have ice, for the red, biting capsicum, the green, cool cucumber; for joyous, foaming Sillery, the smallest ale; small ale—nay, toast and water!" cried Mistress Kitty, lashing herself to finer frenzy. "And if the mere sense of your security thus transforms the lover in you, what a pleasing prospect, indeed, lies before the wedded wife! No, thank you, sir," said the lady, and pushed the petrified O'Hara with an angry foot, "I have had one wintry, toast-and-water husband, and that shall be enough for my lifetime. Thank God, it is not too late yet!" she fumed. "I am not yet, sir, Mistress O'Hara."

And in the very midst of her indignation: "This will," she thought, "simplify the parting at Devizes." But no whit was her wrath thereby abated, that the fool should have spoiled her pretty ride.

For a moment, after the angry music of her voice had ceased to ring, there was a breathless silence, broken only by the straining progress of horses and chaise up the sides of another hill. Then O'Hara broke forth into a sort of roar of wounded tenderness, passion and ire. Flinging himself back upon his seat, he seized her wrist in a grip, fierce, yet still gentle under its fierceness.

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

IRON ORE IMPORTS BREAK THE RECORD

More Is Landed at New York in December Than During Any Similar Period in 20 Years.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—More iron ore was imported last month than in any similar period for the past 20 years. Large quantities of manganese ore, chrome ore, iron pyrites, miscellaneous iron and steel material and pig iron also arrived here in December, largely for Pittsburgh account. In all upward of 154,000 tons of different material were imported, the iron ore imports alone aggregating 104,244 tons.

The iron ore came in principally from the Cuban mines at El Cobre, province of Santiago, owned by the Pennsylvania Steel Company interests, which carry on operations under the name of the Spanish-American Iron Company. Twenty thousand one hundred and forty-two tons were shipped here. From Spain 34,202 tons were forwarded, 13,850 tons coming from Aqua Amarga, 9,375 tons from Almeria, 4,510 tons from Garrucha, 3,500 tons from Carthagena, while Huelva sent 2,967 tons. Seventeen thousand four hundred and eighty-five tons of manganese ore were imported last month, Rio Janeiro sending 11,460 tons, Bombay 6,000 tons, while the balance came from Liverpool.

Chrome ore to the amount of 9,226 tons also arrived from abroad, 8,576 tons coming in from New Caledonia, the French penal settlement. Iron pyrites from Huelva totaling 3,710 tons were shipped here. Four thousand nine hundred tons of structural iron and steel came in principally from the continent of Europe. Eleven thousand seven hundred and forty-six tons of pig iron were also imported last month. The chief cargoes came from England.

ALLOT INDIAN LANDS.

Commission Distributes 19,525,976 Acres in Indian Territory to 135,362 Red Men.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The final report of the commission to the five civilized Indian tribes in Indian territory to the secretary of the interior for 1906, when the existence of the commission officially ended, says it has accomplished the purposes for which it was created, although such matters as final allotment of lands to the Mississippi Choctaws and allotment contest cases must necessarily go on for a considerable time.

The commission experienced great difficulty in enrolling the members of the different tribes and especially in making the rolls absolutely correct, owing to the peculiarities of Indian nomenclature, marriages with whites, etc. The Choctaw and Chickasaw nations had 66,217 applicants for enrollment; Cherokee, 46,464; Creek, 20,110, and Seminole, 3,171. Of a total of 19,525,976 acres of land up to June 30, 1905, there was allotted 12,754,347 acres.

AUTOMOBILES AND WINE.

United States Buys Enough of These to Overbalance Trade in Favor of France.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The total commerce between the United States and France as shown by figures compiled by the department of commerce and labor, amounted in the fiscal year of 1905 to about $166,000,000, of which $76,000,000 was the amount of the exports to France and $90,000,000 the imports. France gets most of its provisions and breadstuffs from her colonies and exports mainly high grade manufactures and wine.

The United States exported to France nearly all the copper and the cotton used by that country, the total amount of these two articles being about $48,000,000. Agricultural implements approximate $3,000,000, against $500,000 a decade ago. Imports from France formed 8.06 per cent of the total importations in the United States and exports formed 5.01 per cent.

MUCH RURAL MAIL.

Uncle Sam Handles Over Billion Pieces for Country Routes—Makes Half Cent on Each.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—A statement from P. V. DeGraw, fourth assistant postmaster general, regarding the operations of the rural free delivery service since its establishment up to January 1, 1906, shows that the total number of petitions received and referred was 51,600, of which 13,125 were acted upon adversely. The number of routes in operation is 34,677.

More than 1,000,000,000 pieces of mail were handled by rural carriers during the fiscal year 1905, each piece costing a little less than one and one-half cents. The approximate net cost of the 32,055 carriers in the service for the fiscal year 1905 was $16,871,733.

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BATTLE ON IN SENATE OVER ISLE OF PINES

American Land Owners Have Man in Washington Representing Them.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Strong protests against the cession of the Isle of Pines to Cuba even with the most stringent restrictive provision, are advanced by the Americans on the island, speaking through Delegate Ed. P. Ryan, who is now devoting his entire attention to prevent ratification of the treaty. He has abandoned his expressed purpose of seeking admission to the house of representatives as a territorial delegate.

Mr. Ryan and others interested in the Isle of Pines do not take kindly to the announcement that an agreement has been practically reached in the senate committee on foreign relations for approval of the treaty with amendments. They still contend Cuba has no legal or treaty rights in their island. They seem to think the Cubans are not anxious to get the island, but are acting solely to hold up the United States for a money consideration, $8,000,000 being named.

Mr. Ryan believes that evils from which the Americans on the islands suffer cannot be cured by any restrictions, such as is proposed in a supplemental Platt amendment. He said:

"The Americans on the island have fared little better in the last four years than the people of Russia. We have been compelled to submit to the old Spanish laws, the very laws that made Cuba rebel against Spain. There are at the present time over 2,000 Americans who own four-fifths of the land of the island. It would be impossible to find 100 Cubans owning land. Our children are being brought up in ignorance. The schools we established were closed because our American teachers could not take an examination in Spanish."

There are but few members of the senate committee who oppose cession, but practically the entire committee believes the treaty should contain provisions completely safeguarding the interests of the American residents.

RAID A NEGRO CLUB.

Police Capture Half a Dozen Men While Looking for a Stabber.

The police late yesterday afternoon raided a negro club near the Stone tavern, Wabash street, West End. Edward Reynolds, the alleged proprietor, and five other negroes were arrested. Reynolds was charged with keeping a disorderly house and the rest with visiting.

The police were drawn to the club in an effort to find and arrest John Shields, a negro, accused of cutting Charles Matthews, also colored. This assault occurred Saturday night near Reynolds' place, the victim being cut in the breast.

NEWPORT PASTOR ACCEPTS CALL TO WILKINSBURG

The Rev. George Whitfield Mead, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Newport, R. I., has accepted a call to the Second Presbyterian church of Wilkinsburg, and has resigned as pastor of the Newport church. The Rev. Mr. Mead has been pastor of the Newport congregation for eight years. The Second church of Wilkinsburg has been without a pastor for nearly a year. It has a membership of 355.

Dedicate New Church Building.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The new Cumberland Presbyterian church at Nineveh, Greene county, was dedicated today. The dedicatory sermon was delivered by the Rev. Dr. W. S. Hanley of McKeesport. Three services were held and enough money was raised by subscription to almost clear the congregation of debt. The church is a frame structure and cost $15,000. The pastor is the Rev. Arthur L. Hall.

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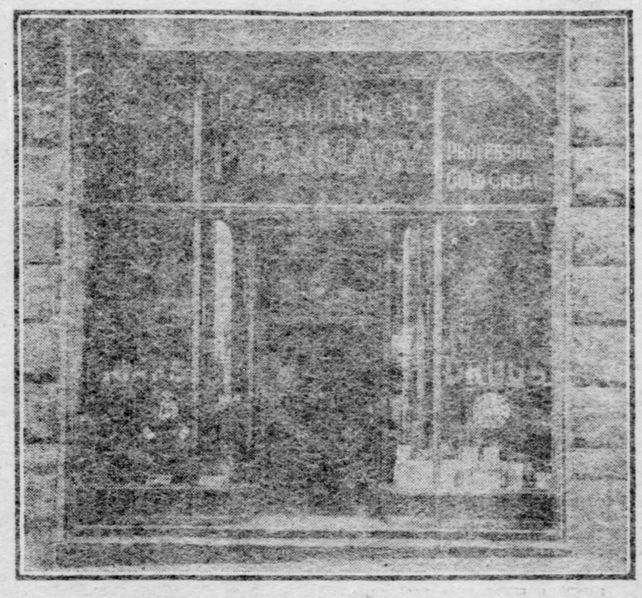

Bessemer Pharmacy of The P. C. Schilling Co.

The P. C. Schilling Co., owning the following stores:

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P. C. Schilling Co., Wylie and Sixth aves.
Beck Pharmacy, 12th and Diamond sts, S. S.
The Carson Pharmacy, 865 Carson st.
P. C. Schilling Co., 2401 Penn ave.
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P. C. Schilling Co., 12th and Carson sts., S. S.
Pius St. Pharmacy, No. 4 Pius st.
P. C. Schilling Co., 2101 Penn ave.
Chambers Pharmacy, 925 Carson st.
Murto Drug Store, 2925 Carson st.
Szarzynski Pharmacy, 2520 Josephine st.,
Dickson St. Pharmacy, 3206 Dickson st.

Which comprise the largest chain of retail drug stores in the world, who buy goods in large quantities, and are in a position to know which remedies are popular with the people, sell **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** in every store. The manager of this enormous retail business, when seen at the headquarters of the system, the famous Christy Drug Store, corner Smithfield St. and 4th avenue, said: "We sell **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** in every store, more than all other dyspepsia remedies put together. We never allow our stock to get low."

At the old established Eggers Pharmacy at 541 Ohio st., corner Middle st., Allegheny, the manager stated "**Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** have proven a good seller in our store."

The cut given below is an interior view of this well-known stand.

Interior view Fred H. Egger's Pharmacy.

Mr. J. S. McGrath owns two flourishing stores, one at Brushton ave. and Kelly st., and one at Brushton ave. and Mulford ave. He was called upon with reference to his sales of **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets**, and stated: "Regarding your inquiry as to the sales of **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets**, I would say that I have at least six calls for **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** to one for those of any other make. This holds good at both of my stores. My customers report very satisfactory results from their use."

Store of J. S. McGrath, Brushton avenue.

Mr. John W. Goodwin, Dispensing Pharmacist, with stores at Grant avenue and Sheridan st., and North avenue and Howard st., Millvale, states: "**Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** are the best selling dyspepsia tablet we handle, and we can always recommend them with confidence in their merit."

Mr. H. C. Stewart, manager the City Drug Store at 626 Penn ave., says: "The **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** are the best selling dyspepsia remedy we have ever handled."

Mr. Theo. J. Herman, proprietor of two stores, one at 280 Frankstown ave., and one at 621 Lincoln ave., tersely expressed his opinion of **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** by saying: "I have made many friends by recommending 'Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.'"

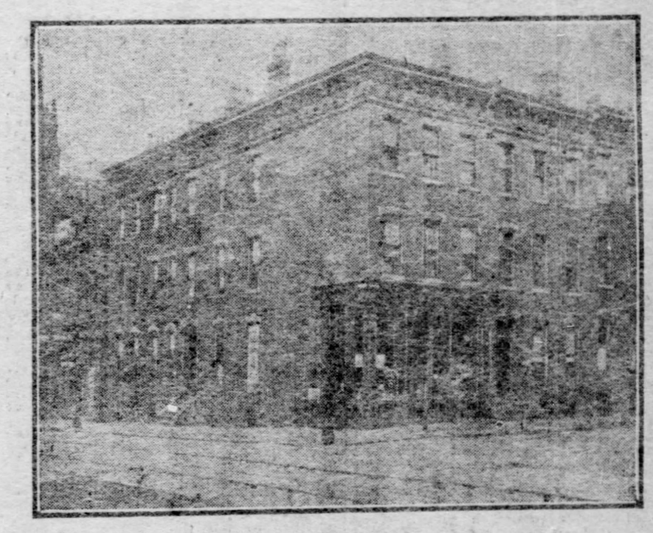
Mr. L. E. Gutelius, 2921 Penn ave., when questioned about the sales of "**Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets**," replied: "The sales for **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** each month are greater and my customers are highly satisfied after using them."

Mr. H. A. Katzenmeyer, General Manager of the Walther Pharmacy Co.'s string of stores, consisting of the following stores:

Rebecca St. Pharmacy, Rebecca and School Sts, Allegheny.
J. P. Urben & Sons' Store, Fulton and Locust sts., Allegheny.
Crescent Pharmacy, cor. James and Ohio sts., Allegheny.
Eggers Pharmacy, 902 Ohio st., Allegheny.
Spring Garden Pharmacy, 202 Spring Garden ave., Allegheny.
Walther Pharmacy Co., 926 Chestnut st., Allegheny.
Walther Pharmacy Co., 1021 Chestnut st., Allegheny.
Walther Pharmacy Co., 701 Arch st., Allegheny.
Walther Pharmacy Co., 221 Anderson st., cor. Lacock, Allegheny,

upon being interviewed on the subject, said: "**Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** sell better with us than any other Dyspepsia Remedy we handle, and always give entire satisfaction."

A picture of one of this enterprising firm's stores, is given below.



Arch Street Store of The Walther Pharmacy Co.

Mr. W. L. Swartz, 800 Frankstown ave., Wilkinsburg, says: "I find **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** one of my best sellers, and recommend them wherever possible."

Mr. S. Newton Wickersham, 6359 Penn avenue, says: "I have found your tablets give good satisfaction to all my customers, and the demand for them is increasing."

Mr. Thomas J. Guyton, 4202 Penn ave., made the following statement, when asked for an opinion: "You may say for me that **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** will do all that is claimed for them."

Mr. G. P. Hall, cor. Glenn and Swissvale avenues, Wilkinsburg, upon being requested to make a statement concerning **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets**, replied: "I have sold these remedies for the past five years and find the demand for them increasing every year."

Mr. H. C. Murto, 7101 Franklin ave., cor. Lang avenue, says: "We sell **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** and the sales compare favorably with any patent medicine in the market."

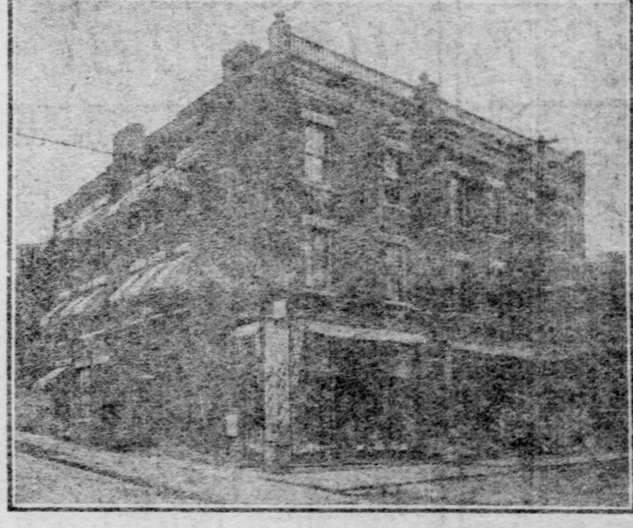
In Sharpsburg two of the leading pharmacists were seen—Mr. B. C. Newlon, 13th and North Canal sts., said: "The **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** are the best selling Dyspepsia remedy I have in stock."

The City Drug Store says: "We sell more **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** than all other dyspepsia remedies combined."

Store of E. F. Waldschmidt, 1100 Federal St., Allegheny.

Mr. Edw. F. Waldschmidt, cor. Federal st. and North ave., Allegheny, Bell 'phone 9710 Cedar; P. & A. 'phone 1197 North, has the only drug store in Allegheny City which keeps open all night. Mr. Waldschmidt, when questioned about the selling qualities of **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets**, said: "Our sales of **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** are treble all other such remedies."

Mr. John W. Hyde, Jr., proprietor of stores at 651 Evergreen ave., Millvale, and 266 Butler st., Etna, says: "I have found that **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** are the best selling dyspepsia remedy in my store. They always give satisfaction to my customers."



Store of J. D. Loughridge, 7701 Frankstown avenue.

Mr. D. J. Loughridge, a picture of whose store, located at Frankstown and Brushton aves., is given above, when asked as to the selling qualities of **Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets**, made the following statement: "**Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets** are good, steady sellers, and I find the sale increasing each year."

AMUSEMENTS.

Grand This Week — Clayton White and Marie Stuart IN PARIS. — 15 ACTS

NIXON—Mr. E. S. Willard—TONIGHT—David Garrick and The Man Who Was; Tues., The Fool's Revenge; Wed. Eves., Professor's Love Story; Thurs., The Middleman; Fri. Eves., Cloud; Sat. Mat., A Pair of Spectacles; Sat. Eves., Tom Pinch. Next Week, LULU GLASER.

AMUSEMENTS.

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DUQUESNE GARDEN ICE SKATING AFT. & EVE. HOCKEY—TUES. EVE.—PBG. vs. CAN. SOO. Last Game Fri. and Sat. Nights—Toronto Varsity.

SPORTING GOSSIP

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

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PITTSBURGH, MONDAY MORNING, JANUARY 15, 1906.—PAGES 9 TO 12.

PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY JOHN H. GRUBER.

WASHINGTON PATRONS WANT CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM---GENERAL SPORTS

COLLEGE AND NON-PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY RICHARD R. GUY.

PHIL LEWIS HELPS IN THE COACHING

Cornell Baseball Candidates Working in Preparation for the Southern Trip.

FROM THE OTHER COLLEGES

Regular indoor baseball practice began last week at Cornell. The baseball work as last season will be in charge of Coach Glenn S. Warner, '94, who will from time to time be assisted by several graduates who have promised to return. "Hughey" Jennings of the Baltimore Eastern league team will assist in the coaching from February till the first part of April. Jennings graduated in 1904 from the Cornell law school, and in that year and the year previous was head coach of the baseball squad at Cornell.

Prof. C. V. P. Young, '96, perhaps the most prominent baseball man that Cornell has ever had, with the possible exception of Phil Lewis of the Brooklyn Nationals at present, will assist in the coaching this season, as will also Phil Lewis, who is now taking work in the law school. Alexander, '01, and several other alumni have promised to come back for short periods during the season.

Cornell's prospects for a first-class team are better than they have been in many years past, for not only is the entire varsity back in college, but there are also a number of new men who show promise, and it is doubtful if all of the veterans will be able to keep their places. Rice, second baseman last year, will probably not play, however. So far very few of the old men have been out, with the exception of Capt. Welch and Umstad, as the time between now and junior week will be spent in developing the new men as much as possible. After junior week, which ends on February 3, all the old men will also be out, and from then till late in March, when the southern trip will be taken, the process of "weeding out" will be gone through, as only about 15 men will be taken on the trip. Then when the team returns from the south and the outdoor work begins, all of the candidates will report, if the winter keeps as mild as it has been recently there is some hope that a few days of outdoor work at least may be obtained before the team goes south.

The southern trip will be a harder one than usual this year. The team will leave Ithaca on March 23, and Manager Coffin, while not yet ready to announce the schedule he has arranged, says that it is particularly hard.

The old men who return and who constitute a team in themselves are as follows: Capt. L. C. Welch, '06, catcher; Umstad, '06, pitcher; Deshon, '06, pitcher; Preston, '06, first base; Bull Brown, '07, third base; Dutch Heilman, '08, shortstop; Bigelow, '07, center field; Braman, '08, left field, and Champaign, '06, right field.

Much is expected from Umstad and Deshon on the pitching staff this year. They made a fine record for themselves last year.

Cornell's chances of winning the intercollegiate championship this year, or at least getting second place, are very good, when the wealth of material at hand is considered. This year the schedule will include, as usual, games with Pennsylvania, Princeton, Columbia (if she has a team), Lafayette and probably Harvard and Amherst, besides a number of others, though all of the details of these games have not as yet been arranged for by the management.

On the southern trip Vanderbilt, Mississippi, Nashville and several other southern teams will be played.

At a meeting of the athletic committee of Lehigh university the schedule of Manager H. B. Dougherty of the baseball team was approved, as follows: April 4, Delaware at South Bethlehem; April 21, Dickinson at South Bethlehem; May 5, Lafayette at South Bethlehem; May 9, Franklin and Marshall at South Bethlehem; May 12, State at State College; May 19, Villanova at South Bethlehem; May 26, Lafayette at Easton; May 30, Trinity at South Bethlehem; June 2, Ursinus at South Bethlehem; June 9, Lafayette at South Bethlehem; June 12, Indians at South Bethlehem.

Jasper T. Goodwin, coach of the Columbia crews, is strongly against the proposition to let coaches of the defeated crews in intercollegiate racing circles. When the scheme was first brought up he did not think enough of it to put any belief in the matter, but later, when he heard that Pennsylvania had actually formed a crew, he saw that he might have to develop a crew of eight scullers. Syracuse and Georgetown indorsed the plan of Pennsylvania, and Goodwin was asked unofficially to take note of the matter.

Penn's crew men will start practice this afternoon under the coaching of the veteran, Ellis Ward. The Red and Blue has been unsuccessful on the water for several years past, but with plenty of material in sight this year the rowing authorities hope for a winning crew. There are 11 men in the university who have won their varsity "P" at rowing, and of these, it will likely row this year: Capt. Hering, ex-Capt. Taylor, Shoemaker, Gleason, Roberts, Brown, Aldin, Bogardus, Kelley, Drayton and Galey. Ex-Capt. Taylor is the only one of these men unlikely to row, his studies preventing him from devoting the time to crew work. In addition to these men there are last year's freshmen, all of whom are strong oars. The entire eight men, Dowling, Haas, Dodge, Schelling, Philler, Shoemaker, Hess and Ewing, will row again this year. Coach Ward has installed 16 friction machines in the crew room of the gymnasium, and the candidates will be set to work indoors until the weather permits work on the Schuylkill.

Athletes of the senior class at Hyde Park school, Chicago, carried off the honors in the annual interclass meet of the school Saturday afternoon. Good material was found in many of the events. Taylor, the best left half back of the football team, took the honors for individual work. He won one first, tied for first once, took a second and a third, scoring in four events a total of 13 points. Perhaps the best work of the meet was done in the shorter dash. Taylor and Way ran a dead heat in the finals, going the length of the gym in 5 2-5 seconds, which is only 1-5th of a second beyond the world's record for the distance. It is probable this mark is as fast as any high school man ever went the distance in the west. In comparison with the record for the distance of the Greater New York Scholastic association, it is 2-5ths of a second better.

Amherst will not be on Michigan's schedule for a baseball match next spring. Graduate Director Baird refuses to give the easterners the game they want.

Michigan is going to get Fred. Dana, the fast interscholastic sprinter, after all. Word reaches Michigan from Fond du Lac that the young athlete had decided to re-enter Michigan at once. Last fall he went to Michigan, but was not satisfied and did not return when the Christmas holidays were over. His action caused much regret in Michigan. Whatever the difficulty, it has been adjusted, and Dana will resume his studies and be on the Michigan track team this year.

Merkle, a Toledo high school athlete, who has attracted favorable comment by his work both on the diamond and gridiron, has been sent a contract by Manager Jake Stahl of the Washington American league team. Although Merkle has had only one year's experience at the national game, his work both with the stick and around third base has been phenomenal. His work has attracted the attention of several big western colleges, including Chicago and Michigan, which have been after him. Merkle was tipped off to Stahl as a find during the Chicago-Wisconsin game. Merkle has not made up his mind whether to accept Stahl's offer or enter college.

Says a Wisconsin professor: "Commercialism has become too prominent a factor in intercollegiate athletics. The gate receipts have become the all-absorbing interest in contests between universities, while the games themselves have been placed in the background. It is the aim of the faculty in doing away with intercollegiate contests to foster a spirit of home sports, in which the students shall take part and which shall be for the students, and for them only. The spirit of commercialism has done more to introduce professionalism and graft into college athletics than any other thing."

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Athletic association of Western Reserve university the matter of selecting coaches for the various athletic teams was again postponed. Paul Jones, who coached Reserve this season, is an applicant for the position, and it is understood that he is looked upon favorably by most of the members. Glaze, who played end on the Dartmouth team and was picked as All-American end, is desirous of having an opportunity of seeing what he can do in the way of coaching the Reserve eleven next season. It is understood that Lanson, who played guard on the Pennsylvania team this season, and who secured a position on the All-American eleven, is going to enter Reserve Medical school next year, and desires to coach the team.

HARRY WILHELM MAY SIGN WITH UNIONTOWN CLUB

HARRY WILHELM.

Well-Known Pitcher and Outfielder Has Played With Many Different Leagues.

Wilhelm, who is a native of Uniontown, is one of the best known ball players in Western Pennsylvania. He will probably play the outfield for Uniontown in the P., O. and West Virginia league this season. He began playing baseball with the McCormick Amateurs of Uniontown in 1892, '93 and '94. His first engagement away from home was with California in 1895. He signed with Chambersburg in the Cumberland Valley league for one month in 1896, when he left to go to Atlantic City with P. A. C. for a series. He finished the season with Atlantic City.

He pitched and played the outfield for Greensburg in 1898. He was with Lancaster the following season and was bought by Barney Dreyfuss for his Louisville National league club. He was with Syracuse in the Eastern league the next season and with Columbus of the American association the following campaign. He began the season of 1902 with Hartford in the Connecticut State league, but the Birmingham Southern league club bought him.

In 1902 he was with Kingston in the Hudson River league, where his arm went to the bad and he had to give up pitching to play the outfield. He finished the season with Waynesburg, playing left field. Last year he was at Punxsutawney.

Wilhelm was always a good hitter. He was educated at Westminster college and pitched for that team in the early spring.

BUSY WEEK IN HOCKEY AT DUQUESNE GARDEN

Roy Robinson Still Leads the Interscholastic League in Shooting Goals.

This will be a busy week in hockey at the gardens. The Canadian Soo will play its third and final game with Pittsburgh tomorrow night. Shadyside Academy and Pittsburgh College Preps will meet in a championship interscholastic game Wednesday afternoon. Friday night the Interscholastic seven will play the Toronto university and Saturday night the Carnegie Tech school will meet the crack Canadian collegians. The Interscholastics will practice Thursday evening.

Ray Robinson continues to be the leading goal shooter in the school league. The High school forwards, however, do not strive to see who will get the goals, but the team is playing to win and all are willing to pass the puck. The records of the players follow:

	1st half.	2nd half.
Robinson, Pittsburgh High school.	2	4
Van Gerder, Pittsburgh High school.	2	3
Bright, Pittsburgh High school.....	1	2
McKee, Pittsburgh High school.....	1	2
Haggerty, Pittsburgh High school....	0	1
Rebol, Shadyside	0	1
McDaniels, Wilkinsburg H. S.....	0	1
Patterson, Shadyside	0	1
Heron, Shadyside	0	1

Shots past goalkeepers—Sellers (Shadyside), 10; Conrad (Pittsburgh High school), 3; Barr (East Liberty academy), 1; Ross (Wilkinsburg High school), 8.

Lafayette college and the Queen's university team are to appear in Pittsburgh soon to play the Interscholastics and the Carnegie Tech school.

Capt. Duffy of the Pittsburgh College Prep team last night announced his lineup for Wednesday as follows: Goal, Dasbach; point, Cain; cover point, Duffy; forward, McMorris; center, McFarland; right wing, Rutledge; left wing, Ryan or Sidebaik.

PITTINGER'S PARTY.

Members of the Phillies Are Guests of the Pitcher.

CARLISLE, Jan. 14. Charles Pittinger, the noted Philadelphia baseball pitcher, celebrated his birthday anniversary yesterday. Among those present from out of town were First Baseman Brandsell, Worcester, Mass.; Pitcher Frank Corridon, Newport, R. I.; Outfield Paul Kruger of Chicago, and Outfielder Richard Cooley, Topeka, Kan.

Pittsburgh Boxers Do Well.

The three Pittsburgh boxers, with the Foster Midgets, returned from Latrobe, where they all got decisions over the Latrobe fighters. Johnnie Mullen put Connors to the bad in three rounds. Al. Martin, being outweighed by Ackerman, went four fast rounds to a draw. The main bout of the show, between Laird and Joe Keally, was one of the best seen in Latrobe. At the end of the sixth round the decision was given to Keally. In the third round a right to the jaw put Laird in a bad way. The bell saved him from taking the count in the last round.

Judges for Washington Show.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—At the Washington Kennel club's annual bench show here, February 28 to March 3, Scott Jones of Seville, O., will judge Boston terriers, ball terriers, bulldogs and Dalmatians, while J. Stewart Lacock of Pittsburgh will judge all other classes. Entries will close February 17.

HAD NO CHANCE FOR AN AVERAGE, WAS CATCHER

So Said a Player When He Applied to Walter East for Job. How Overend Bunted.

Walter East a few years ago was manager, captain and second baseman of the Pittsburgh team in the Kansas State league. It was his first year "out," but he nevertheless managed to pull through the season with credit.

His team was not the strongest in the league and he decided to strengthen. He made it known that he desired players and applications began to pour in on him. Some were accepted and many rejected. A big raw-boned youth, who said he was a catcher, blew in on him one day and asked for a job catching.

"Where have you been catching?" inquired East. The youth named a country town in Kansas, and volunteered the information that he was the best in the country, but his work was not appreciated. To show that he was worthy of a job the catcher flashed a batting average on paper of .500, and he had a bunch of extra base hits chalked up to his credit.

"Let me see your fielding average," East requested.

"I ain't got no fielding average," was the reply. "The manager at home was sore on me and wouldn't let me play any place but ketch, where I would have no chance to get an average."

The youth was not added to the Pittsburgh payroll.

Clarence Overend, the captain of the Carnegie Tech school hockey team, played some baseball while a student at Shadyside academy. He was a fair outfielder, a very weak batter, but he was a member of the slugging class. He could lay against the ball for extra bases and they traveled out mostly on the line. He led the Shadyside team in home runs the season he played there.

When the Interscholastic team was organized Overend was put in right field because he could hit. One day the team was playing at Johnstown. At that time the Johnstown club played on the Fair grounds. Wallace Porter of Bucknell, who was catching on the Interscholastics, opened an inning with a single and Overend was next up. He was still on the bench when Porter hit, and as he was getting up he was told to "send Porter down."

Overend did not quite catch the meaning of "send him down," and on the way to the plate he asked "Sunny" Price what it meant. Price told him, and then Overend said he could not bunt. Again Price showed his superior knowledge. Porter, who was a good base runner, began making motions to steal second. The Johnstown pitcher threw up a high fast one on the outside corner of the plate. Overend stuck out his bat to bunt. The ball, instead of fouling off or going into fair territory, ran down the bat handle, up Overend's arm and found lodgment in his right eye. He went down for the count. The affair was funny. Don Dickinson picked up the water bucket to dash water in his face to revive him, but Porter grabbed the pail and dashed the whole contents in Ove's face. The latter got up shaking his face like a terrier, and all the players on both teams stood nearby and laughed.

"No more scientific ball for me," remarked Overend. He connected with the next pitch for a single over second. That ended his bunting efforts for the season.

Tie Still on at W. & J.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—A second effort last evening to elect an Assistant manager for the Washington and Jefferson football team for 1906 again resulted in a deadlock between Kenneth Marshall of Whitney and Arthur Witherspoon of Burgettstown, the vote on ten ballots resulting in a tie of 6 to 6. Another election meeting will be held Monday.

YOUNG ZIRINGER FIGHTS WITH A BROKEN HAND

Young Ziringer, the little fighter who is so popular in this city, has a very bad hand, which had to be broken over yesterday and reset. The hand was broken some time before Ziringer went into the ring in the recent match with the Buffalo crack, French. Although it gave him considerable pain he never informed his manager, and after meeting the Buffalo fighter he went on the same night at the Royal Hunting and Fishing club's show in Allegheny and then he went to New Castle and met a fighter about ten pounds heavier by the name of Zamilsen whom he beat with one hand. After that contest his hand got so bad that he went to a doctor and had it reset and put in a plaster cast, which will prevent him fighting for at least three weeks.

SEAMAN WILL GET STRONG PITCHERS

Washington Wants to Capture Pennant in P., O. and W. Va. League.

ALL SUPPORTERS ENTHUSIASTIC

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 14.—That Washington will place in the field one of the best teams in the new Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia baseball league was made evident here today when at an informal meeting of baseball supporters the organization was declared a good thing, and an unofficial decision reached that Washington should capture the pennant in the new organization.

William B. Seaman, Washington's representative at the meeting in The Gazette office last Friday, when preliminary steps for the launching of the baseball league were taken, stated today that he would call a meeting of the advisory baseball committee tomorrow or next day and some definite action taken relative to the organization of a team in Washington. After this meeting a mass meeting of Washington baseball fans will be called the latter part of the week to adopt some permanent organization plans and means of securing money to place a team in the field. According to a leading baseball man in Washington, this is Washington's best chance to get good baseball, and there is no doubt that Washington will be one of the strongest drawing cards in the new organization.

Manager Seaman of last year's team says it is Washington's only chance to get good baseball games. The town has shown itself one of the best in Western Pennsylvania, and there seems to be no doubt that a good team will be well supported.

Nearly all of the strong players on last year's team have been retained by contract for the coming summer, but not many of them will be seen with Washington again. It is realized that to keep up near the top in the new organization, Washington must have a better makeup than last year. A big effort will be made to strengthen the pitching corps, and as soon as the supporters of baseball declare at the meetings this week what shall be done, the manager, who will probably be Seaman, will begin a campaign for good players.

As last year, a nucleus will be taken from the Washington and Jefferson college nine, and the remainder secured wherever they can be got. Baseball enthusiasm here has been aroused as never before so early in the year with the announcement of the new league, and unprecedented support is looked for by the men back of the movement here.

BASEBALL GOSSIP FROM THE MARYLAND CLUBS

CUMBERLAND, MD., Jan. 14.—Manager J. Frank Forrester of the champion Piedmont team of the George's Creek league, has already signed several players for his team for the coming season. Johnson and Danny Hart, the latter a pitcher, will be given a trial. Culbertson, outfielder, is already on the ground, and Seward, second base, will report in due time. From Piedmont it is reported that Savage, who played shortstop with Piedmont last season, may go to Frostburg contrary to the fact that he signed with Manager Don Curtis to play with Greenville, Tex., the coming season.

The meeting of the managers of the Cumberland and George's Creek baseball league was held in Cumberland, Friday evening, to arrange for the coming season. Manager Forrester of Piedmont has signed First Baseman John Raley, who played with Cumberland last season. He has also signed Russell Pattison, pitcher. Hilleary of Midland has signed with Berlin, Pa., and Conners, the Midland-Lonaconing catcher, has signed with Meyersdale. Henry Willis, who was with Lonaconing and Fairmont last season, has signed with Waynesburg, Pa. Louden has not signed with Piedmont again, but will be with Johnstown. "Cappie" Haller, infielder of Cumberland, has received a proposition from Springfield, O.

Manager Forrester of the Piedmont team, stated last night that Nick Maddox, the champion pitcher of his nine last season, his work leading the pennant, has signed with Providence for the coming season. Manager Forrester will have Felix Ament, who was captain and catcher last season, with Piedmont again this year. George Dally, the other catcher of the Piedmont team, has signed with Springfield, O.

Bowling Schedule for Tonight.

Pittsburgh section—Friendship vs. Brunswick, on Friendship alleys.

Allegheny section—Royal vs. Millvale, on Federal alleys.

Monongahela Valley section—Munhall vs. Homestead.

South Pittsburgh league—Senators vs. Southern, on St. Vincent alleys.

Plumbers and Jobbers' league—East End vs. Ballep-Farrell, Downtown vs. Anchor Sanitary, Manchester vs. Duquesne Sanitary, Dutchtown vs. Pittsburgh Supply, East End vs. Standard Manufacturing Company, on Club alleys.

Lumbermen's league—Hastings vs. Satler, Wilson Brothers vs. Forest, Nicola Brothers vs. Empires, Mead & Speer vs. American, on Club alleys.

Drug league—Pharmacy vs. Allegheny, on Wylie Avenue alleys.

Diocesan league—St. Anthony vs. St. Charles, St. Henry vs. St. Joseph.

Liberty Valley league—Schenley vs. Shadyside, on Penn Avenue alleys.

Sheridan Signs With Vandergrift.

VANDERGRIFT, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The manager of the Vandergrift baseball team has signed a signed contract from Andy Sheridan of Kittanning as catcher for the coming season. Sheridan will add strength to the already strong local aggregation.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

The Levins defeated the St. John's Lyceum II. at the latter's hall, 22 to 11.

The champion Railroads defeated the Zelienople five at Zelienople, 26 to 11.

The North Sides want games. Address Philip Nieman, 816 James street, Allegheny.

The Sterling A. C. challenges all 14-year-old teams having halls. Address George Frederick, 19 Holt street, city.

Tonight the South Side team will play the Old Boys at Indiana. The train will leave Union depot at 4:30 o'clock.

The Newman club of Homewood met its first defeat of the season by losing to Trenton, 45 to 8. Trenton plays at Canton tonight and all players will report at Union station at 6:45 o'clock.

BEN GREET IS COMING.

Will Present "As You Like It" Under the Auspices of the Art Society.

Ben Greet and his company of 40 players will present "As You Like It" under the auspices of the Art society in Carnegie Music hall on February 21. On February 15, 16 and 17 the members of the Art society can select two reserved seats each at the ticket office at Hamilton's. Beginning February 19, the public can secure seats at the same place. The prices will be 75 cents, $1 and $1.50. Less than half the capacity of the hall will be required for the society members, so there will be an abundance of good seats for the public.

This country has never witnessed more carefully prepared, authoritative and devout performances of Shakespeare's plays than those given by the Ben Greet company under the personal direction of Mr. Greet himself, who is one of the most famous students of Shakespeare now living. The company gave the play of "Everyman" in Pittsburgh two years ago and the memory of that will not be forgotten. Mr. Greet's plan of presenting Shakespeare's plays eliminates so far as possible all scenery, while he uses only such accessories as are absolutely necessary.

The next reception of the Art society will be held in Carnegie Music hall on Tuesday evening, January 23. The Pittsburgh Orchestra will give the program and Miss Genevieve Wheat, contralto, of Pittsburgh, will be the soloist. The concert will be specially interesting, because of the first production here of a new overture by Gustav Borch, one of the violoncello members of the orchestra. Mr. Borch will conduct this number. Other selections on the program are Schubert's "Unfinished" symphony, Richard Strauss' "Death and Transfiguration," and Wagner's "Kaiser March." Miss Wheat will sing with the orchestra the aria "O, Hearts to Thy Sweet Rest" from Saint-Saens' opera, "Samson and Delilah," and these songs: "Die Mainacht," Brahms; "An Anthony Kuh," Heuscher and Lemberg, to the piano accompaniment of Mr. Borch.

CAPT. GEORGE GRIFFITH OF HARVARD BASKETBALL TEAM

Griffith Is a Pittsburgher. He Played on the Bucknell College Team Before Entering the Harvard Law School.

FOSTER LEADS EASTERN LEAGUE IN BATTING

Pat Powers has given out the Eastern league baseball averages for 1905. Foster of Newark led the league in batting with an average of .458. Laporte, the Buffalo second baseman, who will be with New York Americans next season, was well up, with an average of .331.

Lindaman, the pitcher whom the Boston Nationals secured from Pittsburgh in the trade for Wills, divided the pitching honors with his team-mate, McQuillan. Each won 24 and lost 7 for the Jersey City club. The averages follow:

PITCHERS' RECORDS.

	W.	L.	G.	H.	R.	BB.	SO.	PC.
McCann, J. C....	7	1	74	83	37	22	33	.875
Lindaman, J. C.	24	7	266	243	97	48	116	.774
McQuillan, J.C.	5	2	54	42	12	14	30	.714
Cronin, Prov....	20	12	236	208	106	71	130	.707
Burchell, Balt...	24	10	256	240	109	83	145	.706
Heilman, C....	7	3	105	91	61	60	53	.700
McNeil, Balt....	18	9	243	184	82	71	105	.667
Addies, Balt....	18	9	262	229	97	48	81	.667
Foole, Prov.....	21	12	298	271	111	66	126	.636
Pardee, Newark.	19	11	265	220	87	53	85	.633
Mason, Balt....	18	11	266	259	110	76	134	.621
Leroy, Mont....	18	12	250	198	106	58	164	.600
Josslyn, Prov....	9	6	138	125	61	28	58	.600
Nops, Prov.....	17	11	251	259	113	78	116	.585
Clarkson, J. C..	17	12	263	210	100	72	157	.586
Ensinger, Buff..	30	15	317	289	145	82	167	.574
McGinty, Mont.	14	11	242	226	106	44	111	.560
Puttman, Prov..	6	5	127	98	58	39	73	.545
Milligan, Buff..	19	16	282	268	132	73	117	.543
Moriarty, Newk.	15	12	56	220	84	48	101	.536
Hesterfer, Newk.	19	17	95	266	125	109	133	.528
Pfannliller, J.C.	10	9	8	174	88	45	39	.526
Falkenberg, Tr.	11	10	0	141	79	58	146	.524
Greene, Buff....	8	7	0	112	60	41	75	.500
McLean, Roch....	2	2	0	32	4	13	11	.500
Bertsch, N. & R.	9	10	170	176	78	48	57	.474
Currie, Tor.....	16	19	302	293	151	77	114	.457
Magee, Tor.....	4	5	97	106	67	37	25	....
Clancy, Mont....	3	4	68	80	40	18	21	.429
App'gate, Tor...	3	4	62	45	26	23	38	.429
Yerkes, Buff....	13	19	268	268	151	49	85	.408
Olmstead, J. C..	8	12	187	159	76	74	163	.400
Puplau, Mont....	13	19	290	312	149	59	124	.394
Cleary, Roch....	11	17	249	228	102	74	117	.393
Schultz, Roch....	13	21	269	261	139	83	109	.382
Faulkner, Roch.	11	18	257	262	118	83	128	.379
Walters, Roch....	11	18	244	232	111	73	124	.379
Wiltse, Balt....	3	5	73	81	35	10	26	.375
Skoper, Newark.	2	4	51	38	25	19	34	.333
Bondo, Newark.	1	2	19	18	8	12	6	.333
McPh'n, T. & N..	6	12	169	209	118	57	61	.316
McLane, Newk....	3	7	85	59	58	29	34	.300
Barber, Mont....	7	17	222	225	117	71	81	.292
Christy, Tor.....	5	14	112	114	122	76	71	.295
Lona, Tor.....	3	6	87	70	39	15	17	.250
Jones, Buff.....	3	11	135	142	68	37	39	.214
Caldwell, Tor....	1	5	43	42	24	9	19	.167
Felix, Mont.....	1	9	85	85	42	26	24	.100
Mueller, Tor.....	1	9	76	68	36	19	28	.100
Schitzer, Roch..	0	3	28	37	25	13	12	.000

The .300 hitters are:

	AB.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	Hr.	Sh.	Sb.	Pc.
Foster, Newk.	48	13	22	8	0	0	1	6	.458
Caldwell, Tor..	18	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	.389
O'Hara, Balt...	30	9	18	3	1	1	5	3	.380
Woods, Buffalo.	71	7	24	2	1	0	2	0	.338
Griffin, Balt....	33	2	11	1	1	0	2	0	.333
Laport, Buff....	447	75	148	59	11	8	19	24	.331
Byers, Balt.....	295	35	95	15	5	1	2	8	.322
M'Far'd, Prov.	291	31	134	19	9	8	11	93	.319
Jacksch, Prov.	191	25	60	8	6	1	3	5	.314
Delehanty, Buff.	246	30	124	29	9	3	5	18	.314
Jordan, Balt....	453	77	154	26	10	7	8	22	.312
Thomas, Prov....	256	42	80	15	6	2	4	12	.311
Burrell, Roch....	85	9	29	6	2	0	1	2	.305
Hearne, Balt....	202	21	61	12	2	0	7	8	.302
Dunn, Prov.....	521	77	157	18	5	0	21	19	.301

Players known to Pittsburghers hit as follows:

	AB.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	Hr.	Sh.	Sb.	Pc.
Pater, J. C....	312	42	92	9	7	1	12	25	.297
Milligan, Buff.	120	19	41	11	0	0	1	1	.286
Bauh, Mont.....	311	24	102	11	5	5	6	32	.253
Morgan, Prov....	256	38	66	7	1	0	5	10	.252
Beau, J. C.....	358	61	104	10	6	0	20	14	.221
Gibson, Mont....	121	7	26	6	1	0	4	8	.280
Clancy, Roch....	206	26	77	4	6	1	6	10	.280
McAleese, Balt.	159	36	39	13	3	0	10	33	.258
Cargo, J. C.....	29	3	8	1	0	0	4	4	.276
Gettman, Buff..	538	91	152	32	12	2	7	16	.279
Kuhns, Mont....	80	10	20	5	0	0	4	5	.250
Barclay, Roch..	421	52	106	5	4	0	8	27	.252
Mahling, Newk.	289	48	95	11	5	0	32	25	.244
Murphy, Buff...	410	43	108	14	6	1	18	21	.242
Murphy, Newk.	332	35	95	17	4	0	16	27	.241
Gatins, Newk..	305	59	91	17	2	3	11	36	.238
Miller, Buffalo.	288	33	62	9	2	0	3	12	.218

INLOW BEATS BLACKBURN IN THE THIRD ROUND

ALTOONA, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—After two terrific rounds being fought at the Bellevue Athletic club of this city last night, Ned Blackburn of Philadelphia took the count at the commencing of the third round, and when the gong sounded it was evident that he must recognize defeat at the hands of his matchless opponent, Joe Inlow of Altoona. The fight was a fearful combat and Blackburn was grueled to a standstill in the first and second rounds. It was useless for him to undertake to continue the contest. He was down and out and had to have assistance to be removed from the ring.

Inlow will meet Jimmy Scanlon Saturday night at the show at Old City hall. "That will not cause any change in my plans," said Jimmy Scanlan last night when told that Inlow had put Ned Blackburn to the bad. "I will continue to train faithfully for the fight just as I have been doing right along," he added.

Butler Hands It to Apollo.

APOLLO, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Apollo was beaten by the Butler Lamedas last night, 36 to 15. Turner, Butler's forward, scored eight field and two foul goals. Lineup:

Butler—36.	Apollo—15.
Turner	F ..... Ingram
Williams	F ..... Wilson
Hays	C ..... Baker
Brown	G ..... Pennington
Gerner	G ..... Adams

Goals from field—Turner 8, Williams 2, Brown 3, Gerner 2, Pennington 4, Adams 3. Goals from fouls—Turner 2, Adams. Referee—Hall.

Truth Society Holds Meeting.

The Truth society, the historical research organization of the young men of St. Paul's cathedral congregation, held its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at the Church of the Epiphany, Washington street. An introductory paper was read by the president, the Rev. Hugh Boyle, who has been president of the society since Bishop Canevin retired from the position. The meeting was well attended and much interest was manifested by the students, who have taken up a study of the Renaissance, dealing with religion, law, art, literature and life.

Lawyer Commits Suicide.

STROUDSBURG, PA., Jan. 14.—Henry B. Lee, aged 72, member of the Monroe county bar, committed suicide in a Main street cafe about midnight last night by drinking nearly two ounces of carbolic acid. Lee was a son of ex-State Senator David S. Lee.

The fact-stories in Everybody's put the fiction-stories on their mettle.

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Weisser's big advertisement in this issue describes the items in detail, and should be read by every woman interested.

The following letter explains itself:

New York, January 8, 1906.

Messrs. Weisser, Low & Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.:

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With our best wishes for a successful sale, and always pleased to serve you, we remain,

Yours very truly,
L. MANDEL & CO.,
Manufacturing Furriers,
7 and 9 West Eighteenth St.

The purchase referred to in the above letter is only one of many which Weisser's buyer effected during his tour of the eastern markets. Most of the other purchases were made for less than half the usual prices.

The latest and best styles are included, and quality is guaranteed in every instance. This store has been famous for its furs during a long term of years.

Wherever else you may buy other goods, go to Weisser's for furs. We know of dozens of customers who have accounts at other stores, but who invariably make their purchases of furs at this establishment. These persons know that they cannot buy furs elsewhere and get any such quality at the prices named by this firm under ordinary circumstances. And owing to the fortunate purchases previously referred to this firm is in a position to undersell all others. Seeing is believing, so attend this remarkable sale and be convinced.

Weisser, Low & Co.'s store at 435 and 437 Market street will be crowded all week with eager buyers.

Koercher's
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IN THE LITTLE WINDOW.
STARRETT'S STEEL TAPE LINES
50 ft. in Leather Case, $2.38
These tapes are ⅝-inch wide, graduated in feet and twelfths of a foot, also in inches and eighths of an inch.
These are the highest grade steel Tapes, made by L. S. Starrett Co.

IN OUTSIDE SHOW CASE.

CLOVER LIGHT COMPLETE
with adjustable Bunsen burner, Opal

CHURCH DEDICATION IS LARGELY ATTENDED

Impressive Services Mark the Formal Opening of Knoxville M. E. House of Worship.

With impressive and largely-attended services in the morning, afternoon and evening, the Knoxville Methodist Episcopal church, recently completed at a cost of $25,000, was dedicated yesterday. The pastor, the Rev. Paul Weyand, was assisted in the services by the Rev. Dr. Charles W. Smith, editor of the Christian Advocate; the Rev. Dr. T. N. Boyle, presiding elder of the Allegheny district, and by other ministers of the vicinity. The Rev. Dr. James Mechem, presiding elder of the Pittsburgh district, who was to have taken part in the services, was unable to be present, having been called away by the serious illness of his mother.

The sermon at 10:30 a. m. was delivered by Dr. Smith. At the platform meeting at 2:30 p. m. addresses were made by the Rev. W. A. Jones, pastor of the Knoxville Presbyterian church; the Rev. W. H. McMurray, pastor of the Knoxville United Presbyterian church; the Rev. G. H. Flinn, pastor of the Washington Avenue Methodist Episcopal church; the Rev. D. W. Grannis, pastor of the Walton Methodist Episcopal church, and the Rev. Dr. Beazell, a former presiding elder of the Pittsburgh district. The evening sermon was delivered by the Rev. Dr. T. N. Boyle, presiding elder of the Allegheny district. Special music was given at each service.

The new church is of brick, with stone trimmings and of Gothic style of architecture. A special feature are its 23 art glass windows. The auditorium has a seating capacity of about 400. It is finished in quartered oak and the carpet and frescoing are of green. In the basement is a large lecture room, class rooms and a well equipped kitchen. This portion of the building has been completed for the past five years and has been used for services.

The Rev. Paul Weyand, when superintendent of the city missions of the Methodist church, was instrumental in its organization on April 30, 1899. He supplied its pulpit for the following six months and then received another appointment. Later he attended the Drew Theological seminary at Madison, N. J., and on his return, three years ago, he was again assigned to the Knoxville church. The church now has a membership of 200, with a Sunday school enrollment of 300, and is growing.

FATE OF CHAMBERLAIN INTERESTS THE ENGLISH

Following Balfour's Defeat All Eyes Are Turned to His Contest—Former Premier Offered Seat.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Jan. 15.—"We have killed protection. This is the beginning of such a political upheaval as has not been seen in England since the days of the great reform bill. Manchester has saved herself by her exertions; she will save England by her example," said Winston Churchill, Saturday night; and his opinion that free trade has gained a victory is the opinion of the more responsible of the Unionist newspapers.

Nowhere, however, is there any hint at minimizing the hurricane that has overtaken the Unionist party or a suggestion of doing anything but to beat an orderly retreat and save what is possible from the rout. The question now uppermost is what fate will befall Joseph Chamberlain at Birmingham.

Mr. Balfour, though deeply disappointed at the loss of his seat in Manchester, displayed great calmness of demeanor on Saturday night, when he delivered an admirably dispassionate and impressive speech. Already the former premier has had several safe seats offered him, but as yet has reached no decision.

Pollings are fixed for today in 21 London districts and 47 provincial boroughs. The London districts were previously represented by 17 Unionists and four Liberals.

CLAIM TALK OF TENT IS SHAM ON PUBLIC

Klaw & Erlanger State They Have Not Refused Theaters to Madam Sarah Bernhardt.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—Richard Mansfield, who arrived here today for a two weeks' engagement, tonight gave out the following correspondence supplemental to the telegram sent by him yesterday to Klaw & Erlanger, theatrical managers in New York, asking them to open their theaters to Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, and thus avoid endangering her health by playing nightly in a tent.

New York, January 13.

Richard Mansfield, Esq.:

We fear that you have been imposed upon. Mme. Bernhardt's managers have a circuit of theaters of their own and are not applying to us for any dates. There is neither danger nor necessity of her playing in tents.

KLAW & ERLANGER.

Philadelphia, January 14.

Klaw & Erlanger:

The statement that you had declined to book Mme. Sarah Bernhardt in your theaters is generally believed, and if it is not true, the public, as well as I, have been imposed upon, and I am very glad to have afforded you the opportunity of making a public denial.

RICHARD MANSFIELD.

OUT IN COLD AND RAIN.

Agent of Pittsburgh Firm Accused by Wife of Thrusting Her Out in Her Nightgown.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Mr. Charles B. Jackson, New Jersey agent of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, is sued in the supreme court of this county for a limited divorce by his young wife, Lucy L. Jackson. She alleges her husband on January 5 put her "out bodily into the street with the oldest child, they being in their night clothes, and they were obliged to go to the next-door neighbor and were put to bed. This because the defendant imagined some man had written the plaintiff a letter."

Mrs. Jackson has since been living with her mother in the upper part of the city. Mrs. Jackson swears that for the last six years her husband has used abusive language, and on frequent occasions threatened to shoot her.

Newspapers Are Stolen.

Max Pearlman of 1003 Carson street reported to the police the larceny of a bundle of 100 newspapers from in front of his place. The theft occurred early yesterday morning.

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CHRISTIANITY QUITE UNIVERSAL IN SCOPE

Through It the Brotherhood of Man Is Being Realized, Says the Rev. Thomas Clayton.

Although taking cognizance of the vast differences in physical characteristics and mental qualities of the peoples who inhabit the globe, the Rev. Thomas Clayton sees in the Christian spirit of the stronger assisting the weak a long step in the direction of the universal acceptance and practice of the Golden Rule. In his sermon last evening at Carnegie hall, Allegheny, on "Who Is My Brother?" he said, in part:

In mental qualities men are more alike than in physical. They differ in degree, and there are strong prejudices growing out of age-long customs. The final union of all the races does not seem impossible, but it is improbable for a long time to come. Does a review of the subject from the standpoint of religion give us any more encouragment? We have declared our faith in the doctrine that God is Father of all mankind in the truest sense; it follows, therefore, that all men are brethren. This doctrine was taught by Jesus with a force and directness that it never had before. As the basis of our religion it has powerfully influenced society, and nearly all the social barriers remaining are recognized as anti-Christian.

We recognize a unity of interests. All men have the same needs, the same experiences, and a common destiny. The common needs of mankind are food, clothing, shelter and culture. Wherever these are lacking or are insufficient, Christianity declares it to be the duty of the fortunate to supply the needs without regard to color, language or condition. Thus, in recognizing a common duty, we acknowledge a universal brotherhood.

All men partake of joy and sorrow, hope and fear; all experience pain and sickness, calamity and death. True religion will aim to reduce the evil and increase the desirable experiences of all men. The destiny of the race is recognized to be one and the same. All are created for immortality. Few now dare to dispute that what God has designed for the whites races he has also planned for the yellow, the black and the red men. After all, therefore, we have advanced a long way. We are rapidly creating a bond of sympathy among the races which will ultimately destroy all prejudices, whether national, class or religious.

The softening of hatred and prejudices will put an end to all wars, military, social or industrial, and promote universal peace. Out of this common justice and sympathy will grow a universal spirit of love, of kindness and benevolence, which means the complete supremacy in human hearts and society of the spirit of our Father who is in heaven. It means the universal acceptance and practice of the Golden Rule.

SIMPLE CEREMONIES AT HARPER FUNERAL

Mr. Roosevelt and Kaiser Wilhelm Send Wreaths in Remembrance of Late Chicago President.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The body of William Rainey Harper, late president of the University of Chicago, was laid to rest today in a vault in Oakwood cemetery. The final resting place will be on the university campus, where it is planned to build a memorial chapel and crypt.

The body lay in state in Haskell hall from 8 o'clock until noon in the room where Dr. Harper had led the faculty meetings. This was according to his funeral plans, which he himself drew up and signed on the day before his death. At noon the coffin was taken to Mandel hall, where funeral services were held.

Owing to the small seating capacity of the hall, admission was by card and only a portion of the students were able to attend. Addresses were delivered by President William H. P. Faunce of Brown university, Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews, of the University of Nebraska, Dean Harry Pratt Judson of the University of Chicago and Dr. Lyman Abbott of New York.

The floral tributes were numerous and included wreaths from President Roosevelt, Emperor William of Germany and many other distinguished persons.

The funeral procession from Mandel hall to the cemetery consisted only of the family, a few personal friends and the trustees of the university.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Two services in memory of the late President Harper were held here today, the more important being at Columbia university, presided over by the Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president of Union Theological seminary. Addresses were delivered by President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton and President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia. The second service was in the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, where President Harper had often spoken.

TRIBUTE TO DR. HARPER.

Dr. John H. Prugh Speaks Eulogistically of the Heroic Self-Sacrifice of The College President.

In Grace Reformed church, Dithridge and Bayard streets, the Rev. Dr. John H. Prugh, pastor, holy communion was celebrated yesterday morning. A large number of new members were received into the church and Dr. Prugh, speaking on "The Cross," said in part:

The public life of Christ illustrates what the method of our politics should be. That political party which seeks to do most for the greatest number of people is the party which will be permanently strongest. And that party which is expecting the people to do most for it, is the party which, in the long run, will be weakest. That civic life is greatest which seeks not to be ministered unto, but to minister.

The grandest effects would be produced upon the countless millions during 1906 if the cross of Christ could be plainly seen and His self-sacrificing love be read on the faces and in the lives of each Christian of the earth this year, as Dr. William R. Harper so nobly exhibited it. A year ago, doomed to death and knowing it, yet heroically and patiently and lovingly remaining at his post, laboring for his students, his university, his church and the world that so much needed the services of his great heart and mind and soul.

Shall we not work toward this same splendid end—letting Christ have His own dear way with us, accepting whatever He sends, taking up our cross, and following Him?

PROMOTE WATERWAYS.

Pittsburgh Delegates to Rivers and Harbors Congress Arriving in Washington for Meeting.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—George H. Anderson, superintendent of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce, arrived today to attend the convention of the national board of trade and the national river and harbor congress. The other delegates from the chamber of commerce are Capt. J. A. Henderson, Capt. W. B. Rodgers, H. K. Porter, D. C. Ripley and Dr. W. J. Holland, who will arrive in the morning.

About 200 delegates from all over the United States are expected to be present at the meeting of the national rivers and harbors congress. The effort will be to arouse public interest in the improvement of the waterways of the country. Governors of 32 states have nominated delegates to the meeting, representing commercial and other business organizations in the principal cities of the United States. Representative Burton, chairman of the rivers and harbors committee of the house, is to make the principal address tomorrow.

VICTIMS OF FEVER AND MINE BURIED TOGETHER

IRWIN, PA., Jan. 14.—Mrs. Caroline Paas, who died of typhoid fever, and Michael Lapasic, who was killed in the mines, both of Export, were buried here today, relatives and friends joining in one funeral procession. A special train was run from Export. Over 400 men and women marched barcheaded through a downpour of rain from the station to the cemetery.

Fear Pittsburghers Will Riot.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Every deputy sheriff in Milwaukee has been called upon to be ready to prevent a riot at West Allis early Monday morning, when the union men employed by Riter & Conley, Pittsburgh contractors, are expected to attack the non-union men of the American Bridge Company. Both companies have contracts on the Allis company's new $2,000,000 mill.

CONSIDER YOUR SOUL IN YOUR DAILY LIFE.

Thus Advises Dr. W. A. Stanton in Making Observations on "How Long Have I to Live?"

"How Long Have I to Live?" was the subject of the sermon delivered Sunday morning by the Rev. Dr. W. A. Stanton at the Shady Avenue Baptist church.

Dr. Stanton said in part:

This was the query Barzillai put to David when the king invited him to leave his home in Gilead and live in the king's palace at Jerusalem. Barzillai was 80 years old; he was deaf and had no appetite for luxurious food; his sight had failed, and he was burdened by the infirmities of years. He asked what the king could not answer, but the question was born of the conviction that his years to live were too few for such prospects as the king had to offer, therefore he declined the invitation in spite of its honor and privileges. It was a natural question for such an old man to ask, but not inappropriate for any of us when we face conditions and propositions that include the future.

We are sometimes told we ought each day to live as though it were to be our last. I would rather say, live each day as though you had a hundred years to live; but make that day one of which you would not be ashamed when the hundred years are lived. "Make this forenoon sublime, this afternoon a psalm, this night a prayer, and time is conquered, and thy crown is won. Yea! this is life." No matter how long we have to live, we never must outlive love. So long as we love God and our fellowmen, and are loved by them and God, life is worth the living. "All the world loves a lover" is true of more things than courtship that leads to betrothment and matrimony. Love is patient and kind, knows neither envy nor jealousy, is not forward and self-assertive, nor boastful and conceited. Love does not behave unbecomingly, nor seek to aggrandize herself, nor blaze out in passionate anger, nor brood over wrong. It finds no pleasure in injustice done to others, but joyfully sides with the truth. Love knows how to be silent, is full of trust, hope and patient endurance. Love never fails. Pray that you may live long enough to experience and practice such love as that. When you can no longer live such love, it is time to die.

"How long have I to live?" Pray that it may be long enough to believe Christ's words and imitate His works. He said: "Whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die." Pray the physical life may end for such a one, but that is not the end of life, for we are not mere human bodies. In all plans of life, take your soul into count, and put it first.

OPEN NEW PARISH HOUSE.

Interesting Service at St. Andrew's Buildings—Sermons by Dr. Rees to Young People.

Largely attended Sunday school services were held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon to mark the formal opening of the new parish building of St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal church at Hampton, Euclid and St. Clair streets, East End. Miss Sallie McKinley sang the offertory and an address was delivered by the rector, the Rev. Dr. J. C. White. Special music had been arranged for the occasion, but had to be omitted owing to the inability of E. H. McDermitt, the director, to be present. Ernest H. McKinley acted as superintendent of the school. Next Friday evening a social gathering of the older pupils and teachers will be held. The new church is rapidly nearing completion and it is hoped to have it ready for opening on Easter Sunday.

At the Smithfield Street Methodist Episcopal church last evening the Rev. Dr. W. H. W. Rees preached the first of a series of sermons on "Great Builders," directed especially to young people. His subject was "The Young Man Getting Ready to Build; Selecting Plans." Next Sunday night, he will preach on "The Young Man Choosing Materials—Wood, Stone, Brick, Marble."

SHOT DOWN AT DOOR.

Dunlevy Storekeeper Receives a Bullet in His Heart When He Answers Knock.

MONONGAHELA, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Going to the door of his general store at Dunlevy in response to a knock last night, M. S. Corrazzola was shot in the heart. He staggered through the store to the yard in the rear and fell dead. His lifeless body was found by members of his family, who heard the shot.

Beer was sold at his establishment, and he recently announced that no beer would be sold except for cash. About 6 o'clock last evening he refused beer to a man and a woman. Both became angry. Corrazzola was 43 years old and leaves a widow and seven children.

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PAPER RULER wanted, all 'round man; sober and reliable. Intelligencer, Wheeling, W. Va.

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COOK, $5; laundress, $6; chambermaid, $5; housekeeper $5; general house girl, $6; waitress, $5; plain cook. Atlas Bureau, 642 Smithfield st.

GIRLS for general housework $6.00
Chambermaids $5.00
Dishwashers $5.00
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WANTED.

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AGENTS—Ladies or gentlemen in every county in the United States to handle indispensible household article; absolutely new. We guarantee you $25 weekly. Write or call from 1 to 5 p. m. M. Meinhold, Lang's hotel, room 20, 109 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

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5x1½x3-inch Knowles single cylinder.
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FOR SALE—Ten dollars; big, handsome English setter, male, 8 months, pedigreed stock; can't be any finer. Frank Bernet, Mahanoy City, Pa.

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PIANO for sale; a high class upright piano, nickel case and gross action; good as new; cheap for cash. Call at 722 Wallace ave., Wilkinsburg.

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LARGE CROWDS SEE TECH SCHOOL

Institution in Schenley Park Throws Open Its Doors for First Sunday Visitors.

WHY ZOO MANAGER IS ANGRY

The doors of the Carnegie Technical schools yesterday were open for the first time on Sunday. Hundreds of people passed through the portals to look at the architectural exhibit which is being given under the auspices of the Academy of Beaux Arts of New York, and improved the time by examining the other departments of the new institution. As an attraction in Schenley park, the Tech school was more popular than either the Phipps conservatory or the institute, the former was practically deserted, and the few people who stopped at the institute spent their time looking at the exhibition of photographs in the art galleries or in attending the 75th free organ recital given by Walter E. Hall, organist of Trinity Protestant Episcopal church.

The Tech visitors were mostly architects, students and teachers in the public schools. The drawings represent the work of all the leading technological schools in the country, including a number of worthy drawings and sketches made by the young men of the Carnegie Tech. The highest praise was given for the share the local students have in the exhibit.

Yesterday's precedent may be followed from time to time to allow persons to inspect the Tech school, but as yet no plans have been made to have the institution open permanently on Sunday. The drawings in the exhibit will be sent to St. Louis today.

At Highland park the crowds were even smaller than those at Schenley. This was a good thing, for Manager Ernest Tretow at the zoo was in a bad humor and all the animals in the menagerie affected his unusual ill nature. But Mr. Tretow had reason to feel angry. Last week somebody down in West Virginia wrote to Park Superintendent George W. Burke saying that he had a valuable specimen for the zoo, and asked if he should send it. He was advised to ship his animal immediately by express.

On Saturday the new specimen arrived. It was an ordinary black crow, just like the sort that are to be seen "cawing" in the trees of Highland almost any day in the year. The worst of it was that the express charges were $1.50. In the zoo market crows are quoted at about $2 a dozen.

WEALTH OF KNOWLEDGE IN THE SUNDAY GAZETTE

Items Gleaned from Every Clime and Pleasingly Told for Those Who Read.

Local.

C. Jutte & Co. filed a bill in equity charging fraud and asked for the transfer of certain stock of the Marine Coal Company. Former South Side fireman voted and then went home and killed himself. Contributions totaling $1,000 were added to the relief fund for Russian sufferers during the past week. All the latest election returns in the contest for sheriffalty. The superior court affirmed the lower court in the cases against James Wilson and Charles Striepeke, and they will have to serve their sentences unless an appeal is granted to the supreme court. Charles F. Kirschler had no opposition for the Allegheny Republican mayoralty nomination. Romance in Pittsburg's Chinatown culminated in the wedding of Charlie Dean, a Chinaman, and a white girl. Assistant City Controller Morrow announced another $1,000,000 bond issue. A reform trust was formed by the merging of all independent parties. Employes of freight houses in Pittsburgh are well pleased with part holiday on Saturday throughout the year.

Domestic.

The United States will not act jointly with France in the Venezuelan matter, but will be assisted. Washington politicians, in discussing the Pennsylvania situation, believe the gubernatorial candidate must show his own strength in convention, without aid from leaders. Leaders in congress conferred on the new tariff bill calculated to discriminate against Germany. A railroad case in federal court drew many Republican leaders to Parkersburg, W. Va. Hadley was cheered in court when he arraigned Rogers for his refusal to answer questions at oil hearings. Discussion of Philippine tariff stirred up a lively debate in congress. A young man in Chicago murdered a woman and then confessed to the police. The old Monongahela and Quincy properties, comprising 1,000 acres of mineral lands near Chrystal Falls, will be reopened. Mine workers are confident they can hold their own with the operators in the joint conference at Indianapolis. Republicans are opposed to investigating insurance in Ohio; Cincinnati may be investigated by a legislative committee. The eyes of political parties are focussed on Harrisburg, where the special legislative session opens today. State Health Commissioner Dixon stated that smallpox is an expensive luxury to the state.

Foreign.

Guilty wife was betrayed by a phonographic record. Through an epitaph on a tombstone a libel suit results and a man is imprisoned. German women discuss political and economic foundations of matrimony. English women are amazed at the number of women lawyers in America. Father Gapon, former leader of Russian workingmen, now dresses like a duke and gambles at Monte Carlo while his people are being killed. Balfour was beaten by a Liberal for his seat in parliament.

Sporting.

The Pittsburgh baseball team looks good for the championship the coming season. One man will apparently control the boxing game in California. Remarkable number of 200 scores made by bowlers of the county. The Pittsburgh hockey team won another game from Canadian Soo. Wallace Cosgrave and Billy Clark will probably coach the Princeton baseball candidates. Harvard defeated Columbia at hockey 8 to 0.

Financial.

New York stocks were active and irregular, sales for the two hours exceeding 1,000,000 shares. A new high record was made for United States Steel preferred. The weekly bank statement was as favorable as the estimates. The feature of the local market was the sharp break in Luster mining. Wheat and corn closed higher, with oats unchanged in the Chicago market.

THE THREE RIVERS

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—River 8 feet and falling. Departures: Keystone Courier for Maysville, and City of Louisville for Louisville.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; in canal, 7.8 feet on falls, 5.4 feet below locks, 19 feet.

STEUBENVILLE—River 7 feet 3 inches and rising. Up: Ben Hur and Kanawha.

OIL CITY—River 2 feet 6 inches and falling.

WARREN—River 1 foot 7 inches and stationary.

GREENSBORO—River 10 feet 9 inches and rising. Down: Columbia.

MORGANTOWN—River 10 feet 3 inches and rising.

GALLIPOLIS—River 19 feet and rising.

POINT PLEASANT—River 14 feet 6 inches and rising. Down: Greenland.

WHEELING—River 7 feet 11 inches and rising. Departed: Kanawha and Keystone State, Pittsburgh.

PARKERSBURG—River 10 feet 5 inches and rising.

EMPTIES COMING IN.

Cascade, Sand-Digger, Is Being Raised at the Point.

The stage of water at Davis island dam at 2 o'clock last night was 7.1 feet and the river was rising.

The steamer Tom Reese of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company arrived in the local harbor yesterday with a tow of empties from Cincinnati.

The Iron City Sand Company put a crew of men to work yesterday to raise the Cascade, one of the company's dredges that sank at the Point several days ago. The boat will likely be raised some time today.

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Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen:

Referring to the different lots of Fur Neckwear and Muffs on which you had made us an offer, we have come to the conclusion to accept your proposition of 50c on the dollar, net cash, on the following lots:—Mink Neckpieces, Mink Muffs, Black Lynx Neckpieces, Black Lynx Muffs, Natural Squirrel Throws and Muffs, Japanese Mink Neckpieces and Muffs, Baum Martens and Chinchillas.

With our best wishes for a successful sale, and always pleased to serve you, we remain,

Yours very truly,
L. MANDEL & CO.,
Manufacturing Furriers,
7 and 9 West 18th St.

The purchase referred to in the above letter is only one of many our buyer effected during his tour of the eastern markets. Most of the other purchases were made for LESS THAN HALF the usual prices.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Owing to the immense space required for furs during this sale, we are compelled to suspend business temporarily in the lace curtain, drapery and upholstering departments.

SALE CONTINUES ALL WEEK

Scarfs, Muffs, Coats and Jackets of Various Furs

Hudson Bay Sable Scarf—Sale price	$60
Hudson Bay Muff—Sale price	$38
Hudson Bay Muff—Sale price	$45
Russian Marten Muff—Sale price	$14
Russian Marten Muff—Sale price	$16
Russian Marten Muff—Sale price	$18
Russian Marten Muff—Sale price	$20
Russian Marten Muff—Sale price	$25
Russian Marten Muff—Sale price	$45
Russian Marten Muff—Sale price	$65
10 Russian Lamb Coats worth $150—Sale price	$70
$250 Persian Lamb Coat—Sale price	$125

All Electric Seal Jackets at half and less than half price.

INEXPENSIVE FURS

About 500 pieces, consisting of Muffs, Scarfs, Pelerines, Ties, Shawls and Throws, made of Marten, Brook Mink, Russian Hare, etc., in fact a large asortment of the inexpensive furs, the average price being about $5—your choice at the sale price of..... $1.90

JAP. MINK

Scarfs, Ties and Throws in endless variety of styles—the early comers can make their selection from at least one thousand pieces worth from $7.50 to $12 sale price..... $4.90

200 Jap Mink Muffs that were $10, $12, $15 and $20, at just one-half—just think of a Jap Mink Muff for..... $5

For those who desire a serviceable set of furs we have about 50 sets in Jap Mink—a nice shaped muff and a good sized throw tie, which we offer at our sale price of..... $15

LADY'S AUTOMOBILE COAT

One Chinchilla Automobile Coat worth $350 at the Sale price of..... $175

ISABELLA AND SABLE FOX

Isabella and Sable Fox Muffs, sale prices range from $15 down to..... $5

Isabella and Sable Fox Scarfs; sale prices range from $20 down to..... $3.90

IMITATION CHINCHILLA

150 sets of imitation Chinchilla that are worth $15—large muff with shaped scarf or throw tie—sale price..... $5.90

PERSIAN PAW AND BLACK LAMB

300 sets of Persian Paw—Muffs in a variety of shapes and sizes; scarfs or throws of a good width and length; lining of first-class quality; our sale price, per set..... $10.90

Another lot of about 50—made of Black Lamb, and the sale price is the same..... $10.90

Stone Marten and Natural Lynx

Stone Marten Sets, worth $65, sale price..... $30

Natural Lynx Sets, worth $50, sale price..... $25

NATURAL MINK

500 pieces of genuine mink in natural and blended; various styles; worth $25; sale price..... $12.50

Mink pieces that were $30 now $15.

$40 mink pieces marked at our sale price, $20.

Mink pieces ranging in value from the above mentioned up to $250, are reduced in the same proportion.

100 mink muffs that are worth double; sale prices,

$18 and $15

See our fine eastern mink muffs in natural and blended; sale prices $35, $25 and..... $20

50 fine mink scarfs in the new Edna May style—some all eastern mink, others ermine trimmed; worth $25; sale price..... $12.50

BLACK LYNX

Black Lynx Scarfs—sale price..... $15

Black Lynx Muffs—sale price..... $15

Black Lynx Sets, marked at sale prices as low as..... $25

BLUE LYNX

Blue Lynx Scarfs—sale price..... $15

Blue Lynx Muffs—sale price..... $15

Blue Lynx Sets—sale price..... $25

White Fox and Persian Lamb

White Fox Scarfs—sale price..... $15

Fine Persian Lamb Scarfs—sale price..... $15

Fine Persian Lamb Muffs sale price..... $15

CHINCHILLA, ERMINE, RUSSIAN SABLE, ETC.

Chinchilla Ties—sale price..... $15

15 Chinchilla Muffs, worth $35 each; sale price..... $35

One special Chinchilla Muff—sale price..... $65

One Chinchilla Set, worth $250—at the sale price of..... $125

Ermine Ties—sale price..... $11.90

Russian Sable Scarfs, worth $100—sale price..... $50

Russian Sable Scarfs—sale price..... $60

Hudson Bay Sable Scarfs, worth $100—sale price..... $50

Red Fox Sets, scarf and throw—sale price..... $15

Fine Mole Sets at our sale price of..... $15

One exquisite Beaver Set, goes at the sale price of..... $18

SQUIRREL

100 Fancy Squirrel neck pieces; worth $7.50; sale price..... $3.90

$8 and $10 Throwovers; Ties; fancy Neckscarfs, in Siberian Squirrel—light and dark—fancy silk or fur lined; sale price..... $4.90

$12.50 and $15 Scarfs and Ties, light and dark Siberian Squirrel; good length; sale price..... $6.90

Squirrel Pelerines, Shawls and Collars, with tabs—an extensive variety—$25 values at the sale prices of 12.50, $18 and..... $9

We have mountains of Muffs—one large lot—full size, whole squirrel skins (no pieces)... worth double; your choice at the sale price of..... $4.90

Siberian Squirrel Muffs that are worth double sale prices, $10.90, $8.90 and..... $6.90

100 Squirrel Sets, full size muff and scarf, in light or dark; sale price..... $9.75

50 sets in Blended Squirrel; worth $30; sale price..... $15

A few finer ones at our sale prices of $20 and..... $18

BAUM AND JAP MARTEN

100 pieces of Jap Marten in a variety of styles that are worth $45 and $50. These are of an excellent quality of fur, but we have no muffs to match, so offer them at the sale price of..... $18

Another hundred pieces of Baum Marten in various shapes; fur or fancy silk lined; worth $40 and $50, sale price..... $20

Baum Marten Muffs offered at the following sale prices: $35, $30, $25 and..... $20

Green Double Trading Stamps

Given in every department

We give double trading stamps with every purchase of furs, but should you not need furs, come anyhow, for we are giving double trading stamps in Every department during this sale.

WEISSER, LOW & CO., 435 and 437 Market St.